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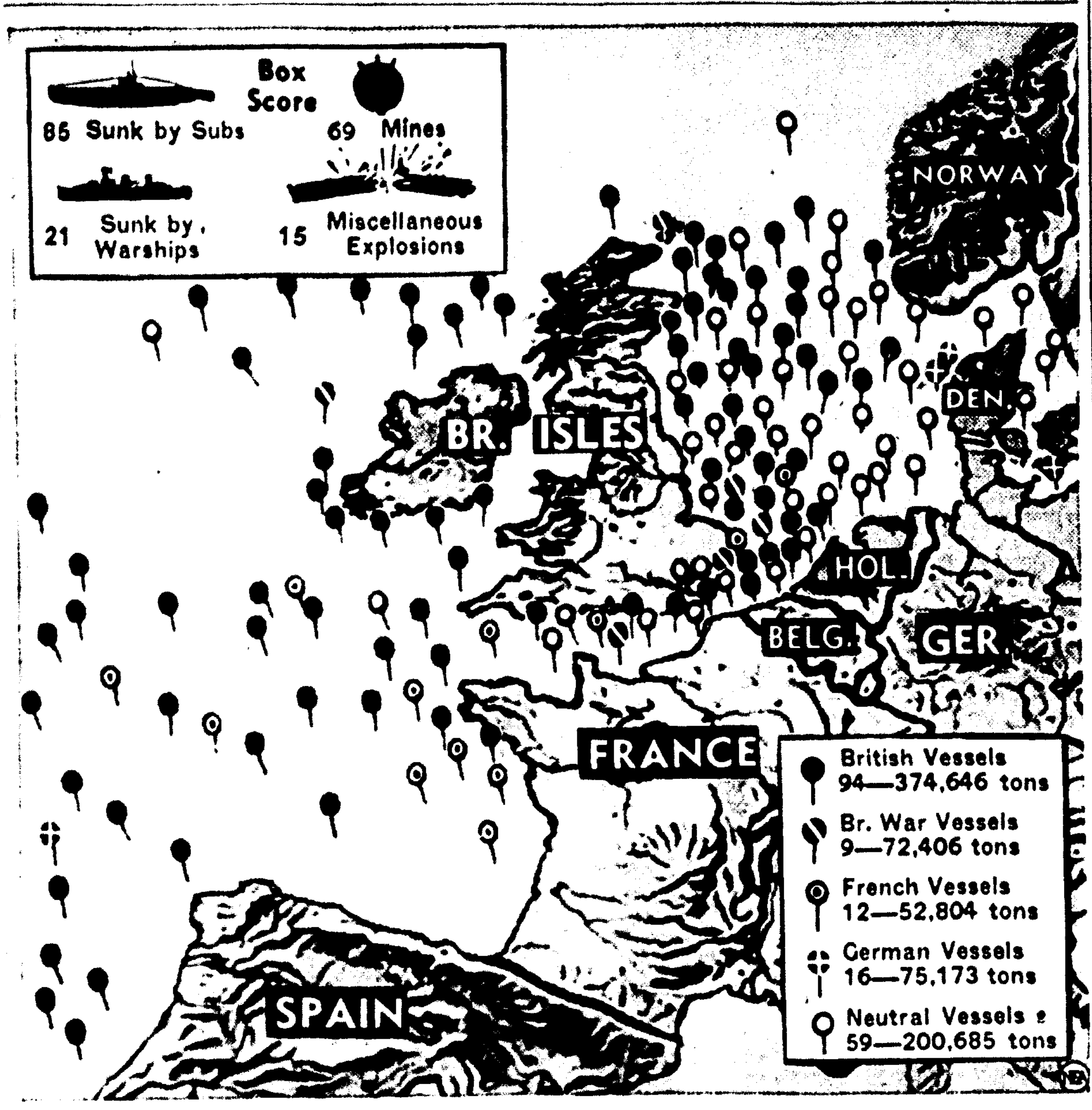

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Making his second appeal to the "home folks" for votes in his gubernatorial campaign, State Senator James A. Noe last night addressed an audience which filled the Crosley grammar school auditorium in West Monroe.

During the course of his talk, Senator Noe announced that his associates had completed photographing the New Orleans poll books at 4 o'clock this afternoon, adding that that means "that Jimmie Noe will carry New Orleans." Senator Noe predicted that the photographs would reveal between 50,000 and 60,000 illegal votes and that these would be stricken from the records before the primary on January 16.

"Thus is completed a nine-month fight for the people of Louisiana," the candidate stated. "It means an honest election in New Orleans for the first time."

Noe then told of his difficulties in obtaining permission to photograph the books, of a supreme court decision in his favor and of the fight which occurred in the civil sheriff's office a week ago when deputies attempted to prevent his photographing the records.

Senator Noe devoted most of his address to an attack on Governor Earl

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Yule Color Contest Books Are Made Available Today

Valuable Cash Awards Will Be Paid Entrants Doing Best Work

Try your hand at coloring the Christmas color contest book you found inserted in your copy of The World this morning. You may win the first prize—$20 in cash.

A total of $60 in cash prizes is being offered in the contest, which was made possible through the cooperation of 31 local firms, by the News-Star—World Publishing corporation.

The second prize is $15; the third, $10; and the fourth, $5. The next 10 prizes are $1 each.

The cooperating firms are The Palace, The Dan Cohen company, Monroe Furniture company, 707 Tire service, Hemp's cafeteria, Peacock's, Slagle-Johnson Lumber company, Swayze's dairy, Style shop, Central Savings Bank and Trust company, Dixie Bedding and Furniture com-

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C. OF C. BANQUET PLANNED FRIDAY

Numerous Members And Guests To Attend; Noted Speaker Obtained

The annual membership meeting and banquet of the Chamber of Commerce of Monroe and West Monroe will be held on the Hotel Virginia roof Friday at 7:30 p.m. when it is expected that more than 400 will attend, including not only members of the organization but also 40 captains of industry in 15 cities and towns of northeast Louisiana, who have received special invitations to attend.

The speaker will be James E. (Jimmy) Gheen, known throughout the country as an inspirational speaker. He has addressed similar chamber of commerce meetings for more than 400 occasions in the past few years. He has proved so popular and so inspiring that he has addressed the Shreveport chamber for the past two years in succession.

These local annual meetings have developed into an important event for this section of the state. In 1937, the attendance was 211; last year 336 were present and with so popular a speaker and with the chamber's greatly increased membership, it is expected that the number present will set a new high record.

The purpose of the annual meeting is to give all members first-hand information of the year's activities, to present the newly-elected board members for both junior and senior groups; and to lay plans for the coming year's work, according to A. O. Evans, president for the past year. But the review of the closeup work of the chamber is not left entirely by any means to these annual meetings, for a

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SENATOR CARAWAY TAKEN TO HOSPITAL

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9—(AP)—Mrs. Hattie W. Caraway, Democratic senator from Arkansas, was taken to emergency hospital tonight for an operation.

She was understood to have been suffering from a stomach ailment but details of her illness were not immediately available.

Mrs. Caraway, who is 61 years old, was appointed to the senate in 1931 to succeed her late husband, Thaddeus H. Caraway, was elected to a full term the following year and reelected in 1938.

TWO KILLED BY RICHLAND BLAST

Men At Work Near Holly Ridge Are Victims Of Dynamite Explosion

HOLLY RIDGE, La., Dec. 9—(Special)—Two Richland parish men were instantly killed in a dynamite blast near here this afternoon while at work blasting stumps on a plantation.

The victims were W. A. Holloway, 49, and his son-in-law, W. L. Strong, 26, both of Holly Ridge.

The men were said to have been clearing land on the Cochran and Franklin plantation when the fatal blast occurred about 2:30 p.m.

A faulty fuse was blamed for the deaths. The men were said to have been investigating a dynamite plant which had failed to explode after the fuse had been ignited when the tragedy occurred.

Holloway is survived by four children, Mrs. Agnes Strong, wife of the younger victim, and Miss Marjorie Holloway, student at Louisiana State Normal college, Miss Caroline Holloway, student at Northeast Junior college of L. S. U., and Windell Holloway. He also leaves several brothers.

Strong is survived by his wife; two children, Edith Faye and William Lloyd Strong, Jr.; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Strong; and three brothers and two sisters.

Double funeral services for the victims will be held Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the First Methodist

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Good Fellows Fund Grows Rapidly; Donations Larger

Previously acknowledged	$ 58 25
James & Thomas	1 00
In Memory of Bobbie Tucker	1 00
Cash	1 00
Eta Chapter-Delta Kappa Gamma	5.00
J. A. Biedenharn	20 00
Henry Biedenharn	10 00
M. S. Biedenharn	10 00
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B. W. Biedenharn	10 00
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The good people of the Twin Cities do have a heart! We know they do for they are beginning to respond to the appeal of the Good Fellows. Saturday was the best day we have had thus far, when the fund went to $126.25. While this is barely a tenth of what is likely to be required to supply needs of the unfortunate, it is a good start on the way and we shall expect to see it loom larger and larger each day now.

The Biedenharn family, ever staunch supporters of the Good Fellows fund, have again given substantially, the head of the family leading off with $20 in cash. We are pleased to receive such contributions and hope that others who are able to give of their substance will feel similarly disposed. But just the same small gifts are equally as welcome.

One little fellow writes a frank little letter, one of a large number, which makes earnest appeal. It runs thus: "I am a poor little boy. I don't get many things at times like other boys get. I have a little brother and a kind mother and a good grandmother who is 83 years old. Will appreciate all you can do for us in the way of food, clothes and fruits. God bless you Good Fellows. Please don't forget us."

Christmas eve tradition has painted a picture of all children, rosy and cherubic, "snug in their beds while visions of sugar plums dance near their heads." The branch of a tree snapping, a thud on the rooftree, a sudden night noise—it's a reindeer on

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WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—(AP)—The administration's proposal to continue strict marketing quotas on the 1940 cotton crop rolled up a one-sided vote of approval in early returns from today's farmer referendum.

Incomplete returns from 10 of the 19 cotton-producing states gave 253,335 votes for quotas and 17,566 against. This was a favorable majority of 90 per cent.

While these returns represented only about a fifth of the total vote expected, agriculture department officials said they indicated victory for the control program. A year ago cotton producers voted 983,903 for and 185,760 against quotas on this year's crop.

The farm law requires that quotas be approved by two-thirds of the growers voting before they may become operative.

Under the quota system, growers receive marketing shares from the agriculture department. Cotton sold in excess of the marketing share is subject to a penalty tax of three cents a pound. Likewise, only those who produce and market within their allotments are eligible for government loans on surplus cotton and maximum farm benefit payments.

Secretary Wallace, in asking farmers to continue quotas, warned that their discontinuance might result in another bumper crop and add to stocks already

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'ANONYMOUS' PROVES GOOD SANTA CLAUS

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 9.—(AP)—Santa Claus, meet "Anonymous."

On Thursday, the Minneapolis Symphony orchestra received a $2,000 cashier's check drawn on the First National bank of Chicago, along with a gift letter signed "Anonymous."

Yesterday the University of Minnesota received a similar check from "Anonymous" for $2,500.

Today the St. Paul Community Chest reported it received a gift of $2,500 last October—"Anonymous" again.

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Removes Chance Of Important Testimony For Prosecution And Defense

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 9.—(AP)—Sudden death of a witness in the A. L. Shushan mail fraud case from whom both defense and prosecution expected important testimony was announced today.

The witness, H. Tom Malone, formerly a member of the New Orleans levee board, died suddenly at his residence Friday. His illness had been the basis for an unsuccessful defense plea to have the trial continued.

A defense attorney, Edmund Talbot, said today Malone's death would seriously impair his case, in which Shushan, an associate of the late Huey Long, and four others are charged in connection with a $496,000 fee paid in 1936 in a board refunding deal. Shushan was president of the board until 1935.

"Malone would have testified that no influence was used on members of the board," Talbot said. "We filed an affidavit of his at the beginning of the trial here with our motion for continuance." He expressed doubt whether he now would be permitted to introduce it.

Other defendants are Herbert W. Waguespack, former board member; Robert J. Newman and Norvin Trent Harris, Jr., brokers, who handled the refunding, and Henry J. Miller, an accountant.

Today Assistant Attorney General O. John Rogge climaxed six days of technical proceedings with the introduction of documentary evidence to show that of the $496,000 fee, Newman and Harris received $199,000, Shushan $132,000, Miller $66,000, and that the balance of $98,000 was variously charged off in several accounts. One of these items was listed as $12,000

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COMMUNIST PARTY FOUNDER ARRESTED

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—(AP)—Nicholas Dozenberg, described by federal authorities as "one of the founders of the Communist party in the United States and a highly important witness in the federal investigation of espionage" has been arrested in Bend, Ore., United States Attorney John T. Cahill announced tonight.

Cahill's office said Dozenberg, born in Riga, Latvia, in 1885 and naturalized February 6, 1911, had given his naturalization papers in 1921 to Earl Browder, general secretary of the Communist party in the United States. On these papers, Cahill's office said, Browder obtained a passport to travel to Russia.

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The Herald-Journal reported Gardner declined to describe the nature of the substance, but did say that its basic ingredient was ordinary graphite. The story said the chemist stumbled upon his discovery while seeking a substittue for aluminum.

Gardner said war department officials had been notified of the discovery and that army experts would come here this week to witness a demonstration.

DILLON RECEIVES 2 TO 6 YEARS IN LOUISIANA PRISON

Ousted L. T. I. Head Takes Appeal And Is Freed Under $3,000 Bond

Dr. Harvey Dillon, convicted Friday on a charge of embezzling Louisiana Training institute property in the amount of $544.51, yesterday was sentenced to a term of from two to six years in the Louisiana state penitentiary by Judge J. T. Shell.

Defense counsel filed a petition for an appeal to the state supreme court which was granted, and the return date was set for January 29.

Held in jail since early Friday morning, the former L. T. I. superintendent was released Saturday morning after A. K. Kilpatrick and J. G. Durrett had signed his $3,000 bond.

Motions for a new trial and for arrest of judgment entered by the defense were denied by the court.

In his argument for a new trial, George Wesley Smith, one of the three attorneys for the defense, directed a blistering attack at the verdict of the 12-man jury, returned early Friday morning after more than six hours of deliberation.

Branding the trial as a "grievous miscarriage of justice," Attorney Smith declared that the 12 jurors, who listened to the case for almost three weeks, failed to grasp the facts and law involved in the case, and were influenced by public sentiment. The jury was influenced, perhaps unconsciously, Smith stated, by the belief that by returning a verdict of embezzlement they "would strike a popular chord of approval." Unconscious pressure was brought to bear on the jury, Smith declared, "by the wholesale charges of embezzlement, larceny and crime, leveled at high public officials of the state. Under more sober circumstances and serene conditions, the verdict would have been more fair and square," the attorney said.

Overruling the motion for a new trial, Judge Shell upheld the jury's verdict, declaring that under the evidence presented in the trial and law concerning the case, the verdict returned was correct. The judge said that, if any error were made in the

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GIGANTIC WAVES HURLED DOWN ON SOVIET TROOPS

Defenders In South Also Reported Holding Back Invading Legions

MOSCOW RADIO ASSERTS IMPORTANT GAINS MADE

Britain And Germany Maintain Ferocious Attack On Each Other's Ships

(By Associated Press)

Creating huge waves by blasting steep hillsides of fjords on the Arctic war front, Finnish troops were reported to have drowned between 600 and 800 Russian soldiers yesterday while their entrenched comrades far to the south announced they were holding back the Red legions.

Swedish reports from Helsinki said Finnish war planes bombed Kronstadt, Russian port 20 miles west of Leningrad. There was no indication of damage inflicted.

But the Moscow radio countered with the claim that Russian troops had made advances on the Karelian peninsula ranging up to 50 miles. After breaking through along the Taipale river—near the eastern end of Finland's Mannerheim line—the Moscow announced reported the Red troops were continuing the push.

Reports received at Kirkenes, Norway, on the Finnish Arctic frontier, said the Finns repulsed Russian attempts to land forces near Liinahamari and Petsamo. Avalanches loosed by Finnish blasts resulted in waves which swamped the boats of the landing party, these advices asserted, and that many survivors were captured.

On the Karelian front, according to Helsinki advices, Russian artillery and tanks pounded in vain. More Russian tanks were said to have been destroyed or captured both on the Karelian front and in the Arctic. Some tanks were said to have fallen through holes cut by Finns in the ice of Arctic lakes.

Apprehensive Sweden, Finland's western neighbor, last night named Lieutenant General Olof Gerhard

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AIREY QUIZZES MAESTRI AGAIN

Asks Mayor Number Of Pointed Questions Concerning 'Hot Oil'

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 9.—(AP)—Joseph A. Airey, chairman of the Citizens' Voluntary Committee of Louisiana, today addressed to Mayor Robert S. Maestri a public letter asking pointed questions ranging from "hot oil" matters to operation of slot machines.

An alleged tax assessment reduction racket in New Orleans, closing of the Louisiana conservation department's books and assessments on the Pelican baseball park here were also made the subject of inquiry by Airey.

The letter stated that "your silence with reference to the public scandals which have been exposed" has not impressed citizens "with the avowed sincerity of your declaration to us that all good citizens should do all they can to see that the laws are enforced."

Declaring "we shall specify, Mr. Mayor," it continued, "you knew, and known now, that a suit was instituted by a number of the members of this committee to compel the commissioner of conservation to open his books and records for their examination. * * * By a subterfuge of the rankest sort, one which fooled no one except those who wished to be fooled, access to the books and records were denied to those citizens. What action did you take to do all you could to see that the laws were enforced? * * *

"Will you publicly urge the commissioner of conservation to permit

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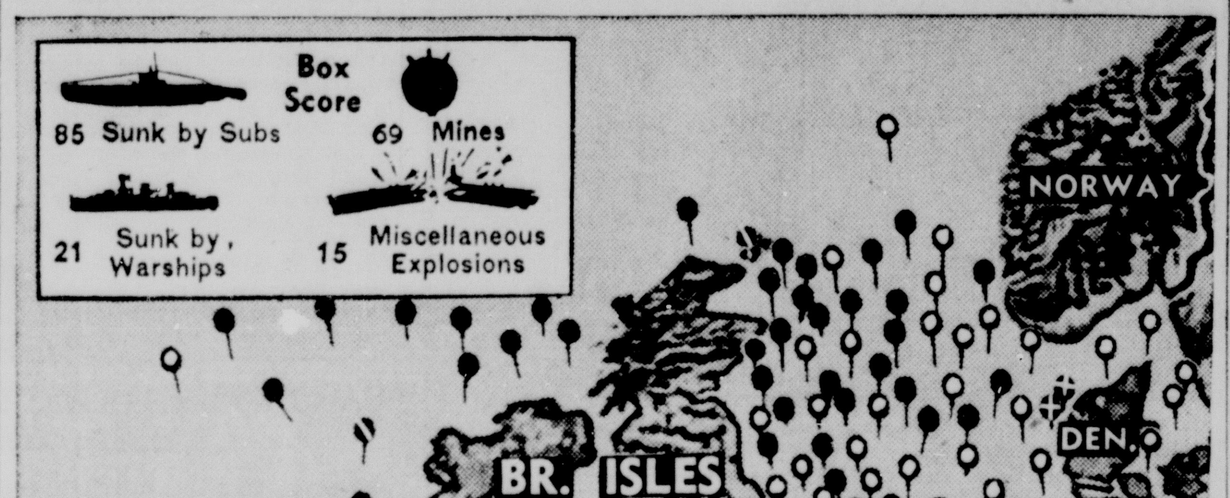

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The newspaper quoted the chemist, Max Gardner, as saying the substance had been demonstrated on an airplane which was flown above a field near here. No part of the plane could be seen after it reached an altitude of 100 feet, Gardner said.

The Herald-Journal reported Gardner declined to describe the nature of the substance, but did say that its basic ingredient was ordinary graphite. The story said the chemist stumbled upon his discovery while seeking a substitue for aluminum.

Gardner said war department officials had been notified of the discovery and that army experts would come here this week to witness a demonstration.

GIGANTIC WAVES HURLED DOWN ON SOVIET TROOPS

Defenders In South Also Reported Holding Back Invading Legions

MOSCOW RADIO ASSERTS IMPORTANT GAINS MADE

Britain And Germany Maintain Ferocious Attack On Each Other's Ships

(By Associated Press)

Creating huge waves by blasting steep hillsides of fjords on the Arctic war front, Finnish troops were reported to have drowned between 600 and 800 Russian soldiers yesterday while their entrenched comrades far to the south announced they were holding back the Red legions.

Swedish reports from Helsinki said Finnish war planes bombed Kronstadt, Russian port 20 miles west of Leningrad. There was no indication of damage inflicted.

But the Moscow radio countered with the claim that Russian troops had made advances on the Karelian peninsula ranging up to 50 miles. After breaking through along the Taipale river—near the eastern end of Finland's Mannerheim line—the Moscow command announced reported the Red troops were continuing the push.

Reports received at Kirkenes, Norway, on the Finnish Arctic frontier, said the Finns repulsed Russian attempts to land forces near Linnahamari and Petsamo. Avalanches loosed by Finnish blasts resulted in waves which swamped the boats of the landing party, these advices asserted, and that many survivors were captured.

On the Karelian front, according to Helsinki advices, Russian artillery and bombing planes pounded in vain. More Russian tanks were said to have been wrecked or captured both on the Karelian front and in the Arctic. Some tanks were said to have fallen through holes cut by Finns in the ice of Arctic lakes.

Apprehensive Sweden, Finland's western neighbor, last night named Lieutenant General Olof Gerhard

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NOE SUCCEEDS IN GETTING PHOTOS

Makes Second Appeal To 'Home Folks' In Gubernatorial Campaign

Making his second appeal to the "home folks" for votes in his gubernatorial campaign, State Senator James A. Noe last night addressed an audience which filled the Crosley grammar school auditorium in West Monroe.

During the course of his talk, Senator Noe announced that his associates had completed photographing the New Orleans poll books at 4 o'clock this afternoon, adding that he is confident that "Jimmie Noe will carry New Orleans." Senator Noe predicted that the photographs would reveal between 50,000 and 60,000 illegal votes and that these would be stricken from the records before the primary on January 16.

"This is completed a nine-month fight for the people of Louisiana," the candidate stated. "It means an honest election in New Orleans for the first time."

Noe then told of his difficulties in obtaining permission to photograph the books, of a supreme court decision in his favor and of the fight which occurred in the civil sheriff's office a week ago when deputies attempted to prevent his photographing the records.

Senator Noe devoted most of his address to an attack on Governor Earl

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Yule Color Contest Books Are Made Available Today

C. OF C. BANQUET PLANNED FRIDAY

Numerous Members And Guests To Attend; Noted Speaker Obtained

The annual membership meeting and banquet of the Chamber of Commerce of Monroe and West Monroe will be held on the Hotel Virginia roof Friday at 7:30 p. m. when it is expected that more than 400 will attend, including not only members of the organization but also 40 captains of industry in 15 cities and towns of northeast Louisiana, who have received special invitations to attend.

The speaker will be James E. (Jimmy) Gheen, known throughout the country as an inspirational speaker. He has addressed similar chamber of commerce meetings for more than 400 occasions in the past few years. He has proved so popular and so inspiring that he has addressed the Shreveport chamber for the past two years in succession.

These local annual meetings have developed into an important event for this section of the state. In 1937, the attendance was 211; last year 336 were present and with so popular a speaker and with the chamber's greatly increased membership, it is expected that the number present will set a new high record.

The purpose of the annual meeting is to give all members first-hand information of the year's activities, to present the newly-elected board members for both junior and senior groups; and to lay plans for the coming year's work, according to A. O. Evans, president for the past year. But the review of the closeup work of the chamber is not left entirely by any means to these annual meetings, for a

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Valuable Cash Awards Will Be Paid Entrants Doing Best Work

Try your hand at coloring the Christmas color contest book you found inserted in your copy of The World this morning. You may win the first prize—$20 in cash.

A total of $60 in cash prizes is being offered in the contest, which was made possible through the cooperation of 31 local firms, by the News-Star—World Publishing corporation.

The second prize is $15; the third, $10; and the fourth, $5. The next 10 prizes are $1 each.

The cooperating firms are The Palace, The Dan Cohen company, Monroe Furniture company, 707 Tire service, Hemp's cafeteria, Peacock's, Slagle-Johnson Lumber company, Swayze's dairy, Style shop, Central Savings Bank and Trust company, Dixie Bedding and Furniture com-

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TWO KILLED BY RICHLAND BLAST

Men At Work Near Holly Ridge Are Victims Of Dynamite Explosion

HOLLY RIDGE, La., Dec. 9—(Special)—Two Richland parish men were instantly killed in a dynamite blast near here this afternoon while at work blasting stumps on a plantation.

The victims were W. A. Holloway, 49, and his son-in-law, W. L. Strong, 26, both of Holly Ridge.

The men were said to have been clearing land on the Cochran and Franklin plantation when the fatal blast occurred about 2:30 p.m.

A faulty fuse was blamed for the deaths. The men were said to have been investigating a dynamite plant which had failed to explode after the fuse had been ignited when the tragedy occurred.

Holloway is survived by four children, Mrs. Agnes Strong, wife of the younger victim, and Miss Marjorie Holloway, student at Louisiana State Normal college, Miss Caroline Holloway, student at Northeast Junior college of L. S. U., and Windell Holloway. He also leaves several brothers.

Strong is survived by his wife; two children, Edith Faye and William Lloyd Strong, Jr.; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Strong; and three brothers and two sisters.

Double funeral services for the victims will be held Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the First Methodist

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SHUSHAN WITNESS EXPIRES SUDDENLY

Removes Chance Of Important Testimony For Prosecution And Defense

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 9—(AP)—Sudden death of a witness in the A. L. Shushan mail fraud case from whom both defense and prosecution expected important testimony was announced today.

The witness, H. Tom Malone, formerly a member of the New Orleans levee board, died suddenly at his residence Friday. His illness had been the basis for an unsuccessful defense plea to have the trial continued.

A defense attorney, Edmund Talbot, said today Malone's death would seriously impair his case, in which Shushan, an associate of the late Huey Long, and four others are charged in connection with a $496,000 fee paid in 1936 in a board refunding deal. Shushan was president of the board until 1935.

"Malone would have testified that no influence was used on members of the board," Talbot said. "We filed an affidavit of his at the beginning of the trial here with our motion for continuance." He expressed doubt whether he now would be permitted to introduce it.

Other defendants are Herbert W. Waguespack, former board member; Robert J. Newman and Norvin Trent Harris, Jr., brokers, who handled the refunding, and Henry J. Miller, an accountant.

Today Assistant Attorney General O. John Rogge completed six days of technical proceedings with the introduction of documentary evidence to show that of the $496,000 fee, Newman and Harris received $199,000, Shushan $132,000, Miller $66,000, and that the balance of $98,000 was variously charged out of several accounts. One of these items was listed as $12,000

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FARMERS FAVOR QUOTAS HEAVILY

Early Returns Indicate Affirmative Vote Of About 90 Per Cent

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9—(AP)—The administration's proposal to continue strict marketing quotas on the 1940 cotton crop rolled up a one-sided vote of approval in early returns from today's farmer referendum.

Incomplete returns from 10 of the 19 cotton-producing states gave 253,335 votes for quotas and 17,566 against. This was a favorable majority of 90 per cent.

While these returns represented only about a fifth of the total vote expected, agriculture department officials said they indicated victory for the control program. A year ago cotton producers voted 983,903 for and 185,760 against quotas on this year's crop.

The farm law requires that quotas be approved by two-thirds of the growers voting before they may become operative.

Under the quota system, growers receive marketing shares from the agriculture department. Cotton sold in excess of the marketing share is subject to a penalty tax of three cents a pound. Likewise, only those who produce and market within their allotments are eligible for government loans on surplus cotton and maximum farm benefit payments.

Secretary Wallace, in asking farmers to continue quotas, warned that their discontinuance might result in another bumper crop and add to stocks already

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'ANONYMOUS' PROVES GOOD SANTA CLAUS

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 9—(AP)—Santa Claus, meet "Anonymous."

On Thursday, the Minneapolis Symphony orchestra received a $2,000 cashier's check drawn on the First National bank of Chicago, along with a gift letter signed "Anonymous."

Yesterday the University of Minnesota received a similar check from "Anonymous" for $2,500.

Today the St. Paul Community Chest reported it received a gift of $2,500 last October—"Anonymous" again.

DILLON RECEIVES 2 TO 6 YEARS IN LOUISIANA PRISON

Ousted L. T. I. Head Takes Appeal And Is Freed Under $3,000 Bond

Dr. Harvey Dillon, convicted Friday on a charge of embezzling Louisiana Training institute property in the amount of $544.51, yesterday was sentenced to a term of from two to six years in the Louisiana state penitentiary by Judge J. T. Shell.

Defense counsel filed a petition for an appeal to the state supreme court which was granted, and the return date was set for January 29.

Held in jail since early Friday morning, the former L. T. I. superintendent was released Saturday morning after A. K. Kilpatrick and J. G. Durrett had signed his $3,000 bond.

Motions for a new trial and for arrest of judgment entered by the defense were denied by the court.

In his argument for a new trial, George Wesley Smith, one of the three attorneys for the defense, directed a blistering attack at the verdict of the 12-man jury, returned early Friday morning after more than six hours of deliberation.

Branding the trial as a "grievous miscarriage of justice," Attorney Smith declared that the 12 jurors, who listened to the case for almost three weeks, failed to grasp the facts and law involved in the case, and were influenced by public sentiment. The jury was influenced, perhaps unconsciously, Smith stated, by the belief that by returning a verdict of embezzlement they "would strike a popular chord of approval." Unconscious pressure was brought to bear on the jury, Smith declared, "by the wholesale charges of embezzlement, larceny and graft, leveled at high public officials of the state. Under more sober circumstances and serene conditions, or in later months, the verdict would have been more fair and square," the attorney said.

Overruling the motion for a new trial, Judge Shell upheld the jury's verdict, declaring that under the evidence presented in the trial and law concerning the case, the verdict returned was correct. The judge said that, if any error were made in the

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AIREY QUIZZES MAESTRI AGAIN

Asks Mayor Number Of Pointed Questions Concerning 'Hot Oil'

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 9—(AP)—Joseph A. Airey, chairman of the Citizens' Voluntary Committee of Louisiana, today addressed to Mayor Robert S. Maestri a public letter asking "pointed questions" ranging from "hot oil" matters to operation of slot machines.

An alleged tax assessment reduction racket in New Orleans, closing of the Louisiana conservation department's books and assessments on the Pelican baseball park here were also made the subject of inquiry by Airey.

The letter stated that "your silence with reference to the public scandals which have been exposed" has not impressed citizens "with the avowed sincerity of your declaration to us that all good citizens should do all they can to see that the laws are enforced."

Declaring "we shall specify, Mr. Mayor," it continued, "you knew, and known now, the efforts that were instituted by a number of the members of this committee to compel the commissioner of conservation to open his books and records for their examination. ... By a subterfuge of the rankest sort, one which could only have been invented by one who wished to be fooled, access to the books and records were denied to those citizens. What action did you take to do all you could to see that the laws were enforced? * * * Have you publicly urge the commissioner of conservation to permit

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COMMUNIST PARTY FOUNDER ARRESTED

NEW YORK, Dec. 9—(AP)—Nicholas Dozenberg, described by federal authorities as "one of the founders of the Communist party in the United States and a highly important witness in the federal investigation of espionage" has been arrested in Bend, Ore., United States Attorney John T. Cahill announced tonight.

Cahill's office said Dozenberg, born in Riga, Latvia, in 1885 and naturalized February 6, 1911, had given his naturalization papers in 1921 to Earl Browder, general secretary of the Communist party in the United States. On these papers, Cahill's office said, Browder obtained a passport to travel to Russia.

Good Fellows Fund Grows Rapidly; Donations Larger

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Henry Biedenharn	10.00
M. S. Biedenharn	10.00
Emma Louis Biedenharn	10.00
B. W. Biedenharn	10.00
	$126.25

The good people of the Twin Cities do have a heart! We know they do for they are beginning to respond to the appeal of the Good Fellows, Saturday was the best day we have had thus far, when the fund went to $126.25. While this is barely a tenth of what is likely to be required to supply needs of the unfortunate, it is a good start on the way and we shall expect to see it loom larger and larger each day now.

The Biedenharn family, ever staunch supporters of the Good Fellows fund, have again given substantially, the head of the family leading off with $20 in cash. We are pleased to receive such contributions and hope that others who are able to give of their substance will feel similarly disposed. But just the same small gifts are equally as welcome.

One little fellow writes a frank little letter, one of a large number, which makes earnest appeal. It runs thus: "I am a poor little boy. I don't get many things at times like other boys get. I have a little brother and a kind mother and a good grandmother who is 83 years old. Will appreciate all you can do for us in the way of food, clothes and fruits. God bless you Good Fellows. Please don't forget us."

Christmas eve tradition has painted a picture of all children, rosy and cherubic, "snug in their beds while visions of sugar plums dance near their heads." The branch of a tree snapping, a thud on the rooftree, a sudden night noise—it's a reindeer on

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SENATOR CARAWAY TAKEN TO HOSPITAL

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9—(AP)—Mrs. Hattie W. Caraway, Democratic senator from Arkansas, was taken to emergency hospital tonight for an operation.

She was understood to have been suffering from a stomach ailment but details of her illness were not immediately available.

Mrs. Caraway, who is 61 years old, was appointed to the senate in 1931 to succeed her late husband, Thaddeus H. Caraway, She was elected to a full term the following year and reelected in 1938.

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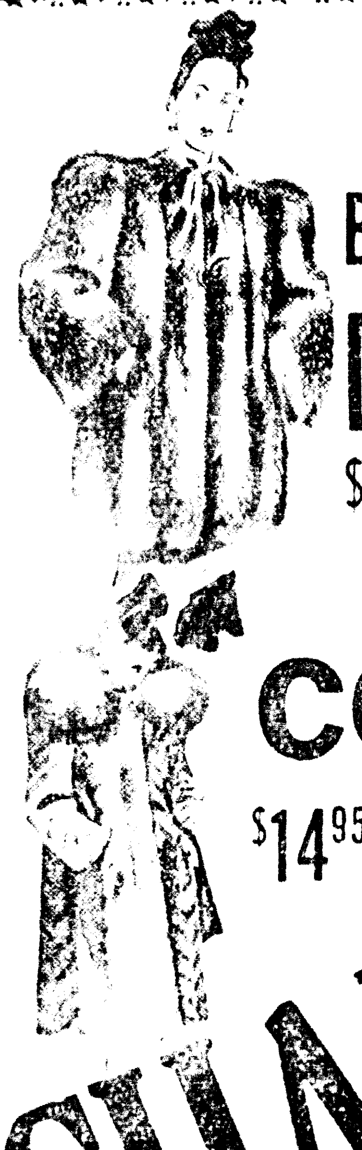

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M'NARY HITS AT TRADE TREATIES

Asserts Depreciation In Foreign Currency Working Hardship On U. S.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9—(AP)—Senator McNary, Republican, Oregon, demanded today that Secretary Hull reopen existing trade treaties or cancel them because the depreciation of foreign currency had placed a "heavy burden" on American farmers and workers.

The senate Republican leader charged in a statement that since the time when a majority of the trade pacts were negotiated, the European war had tobogganed foreign currencies in relation to the dollar. He said that since December 1, 1938, the British pound had declined 17 per cent in relation to the dollar, the French franc 66 per cent and the Canadian dollar 12 per cent.

"In plain language," he continued, "this means a substantial reduction in the price of articles imported into the United States. The practical effect is that it removes the tariff on imported articles and places labor on the farm and in the factory on a level with the underpaid workers in other lands."

Many Republican legislators and some Democrats have indicated that they would fight reenactment of the trade treaty law in the coming session of congress. The present law expires June 12.

Citing figures, the Republican leader said that an article costing $4.72 in England at the time the trade agreement with that country was negotiated now could be purchased for $3.90 in American money because of the British pound's depreciation.

"Actually," he said, "we are subsidizing imports of goods which we produce. Any program which permits goods from countries which have depreciated currencies to enter the United States at substantial reduced duties is opposed to the best interests of American agriculture and industry."

McNary said he thought the agreements had proved a "real hardship to many American producers, even in normal times" but that present situation might be partially corrected by the exercise of Secretary Hull's power to reopen or cancel the trade agreements.

Support for the trade program came during the day from another westerner, Senator Hatch, Democrat, New Mexico.

"I favor the reciprocal trade treaty program and its continuance, but I have not been pleased with negotiations that might let in farm crops of which we have a burdensome surplus," Hatch said.

A woman ruled the Byzantine empire for 1[illegible] years, beginning in 7[illegible] A.D. Her name was Irene and she was originally a [illegible] Greek [illegible]. She married the emperor Leo IV.

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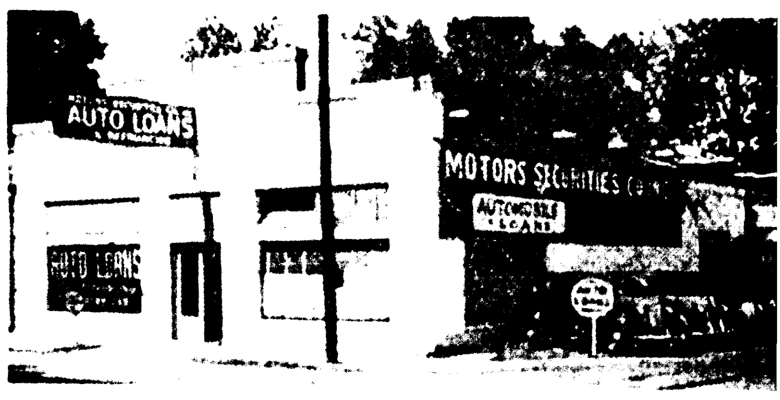

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On the same site is a large barn [illegible] Ferry Farm for [illegible] during [illegible] Shawn gives lecture demonstrations. These programs, open to the public, are given for the purpose of creating appreciation for the dance as an art in the public mind.

Some press comments reveal the high position that Shawn's presentations are held by the public. The Boston Herald said: "Not only was the program the greatest work that Shawn has created, but it is in most respects the greatest dance creation that America has yet produced."

The Pittsburgh Sun-Telegraph stated: "It is an epoch making performance. Like Walt Whitman, Ted Shawn is expressing America."

It is said that Monroe is a far smaller city than most cities where Shawn appears and for that reason the public here is unusually favored by being able to see such a program as he and his men present.

Tickets are now on sale in the college bookstore.

SOME 200 F. F. A. BOYS ATTEND DELHI MEETING

DELHI, La., Dec. 9—(Special)—[illegible] members from 2[illegible] [illegible] Future Farmers of America [illegible] Byron [illegible], president of the Delhi [illegible] presided.

[illegible] chapters [illegible] Delhi [illegible] as Future Farmers [illegible] the town over to the organization.

S. M. Jackson, state supervisor of agriculture, addressed the delegation on "Personality," and E. E. Puls, assistant supervisor, discussed "Citizenship." Other speakers were Rev. C. F. Almond, pastor of the Delhi Baptist church, who spoke on "Character"; Bennie Boughton, assistant Richland parish agent, who discussed Future Farmer goals, and Miss Pearl LeFevre, who spoke on the opportunities and benefits of the organization. Camillous Owen, N. L. Miller and G. W. Wedgeworth also made brief talks.

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WORLD BEATS A PATH

BROOKFIELD, Mo.—(AP)—William Reece has mice but virtually no mouse trouble. Some of the white kind colonized in his junkyard. Now Reece has a waiting list of youngsters who want them for pets.

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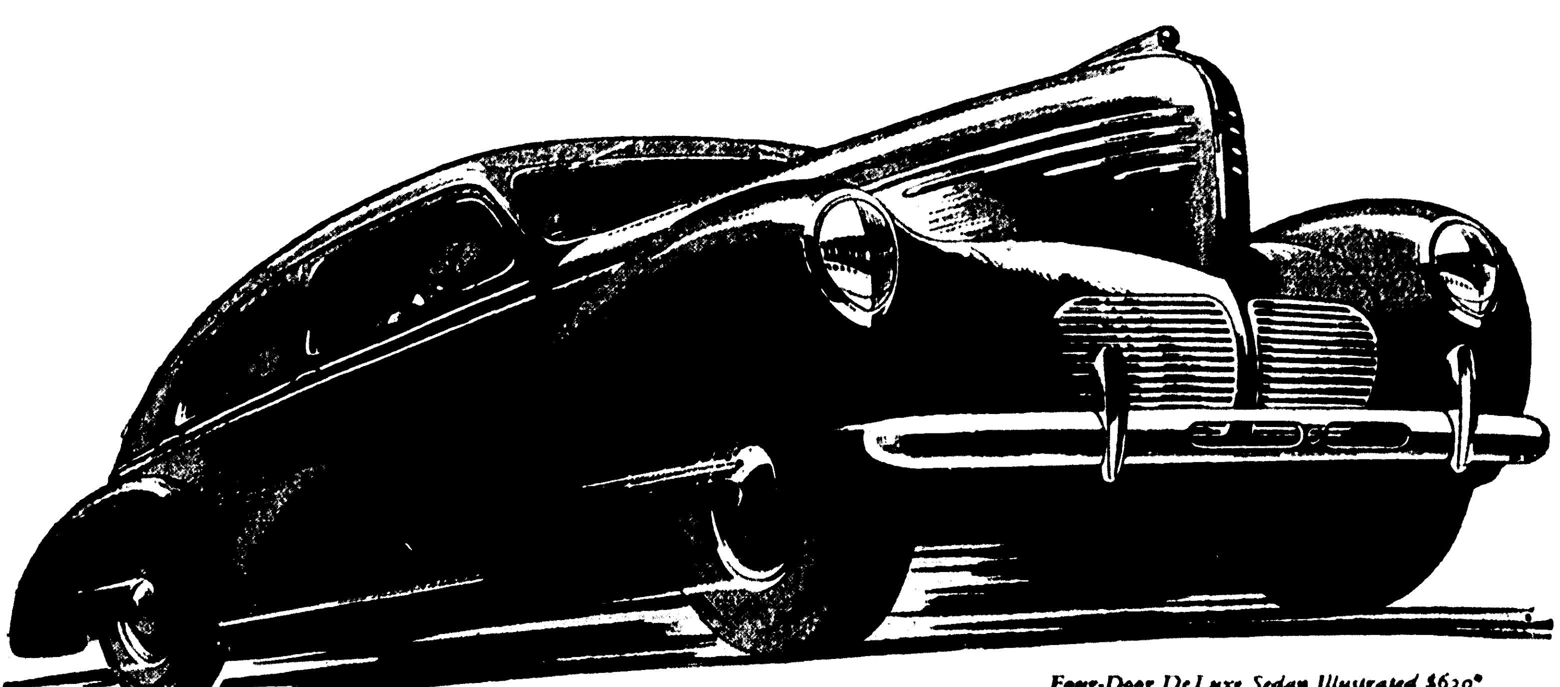

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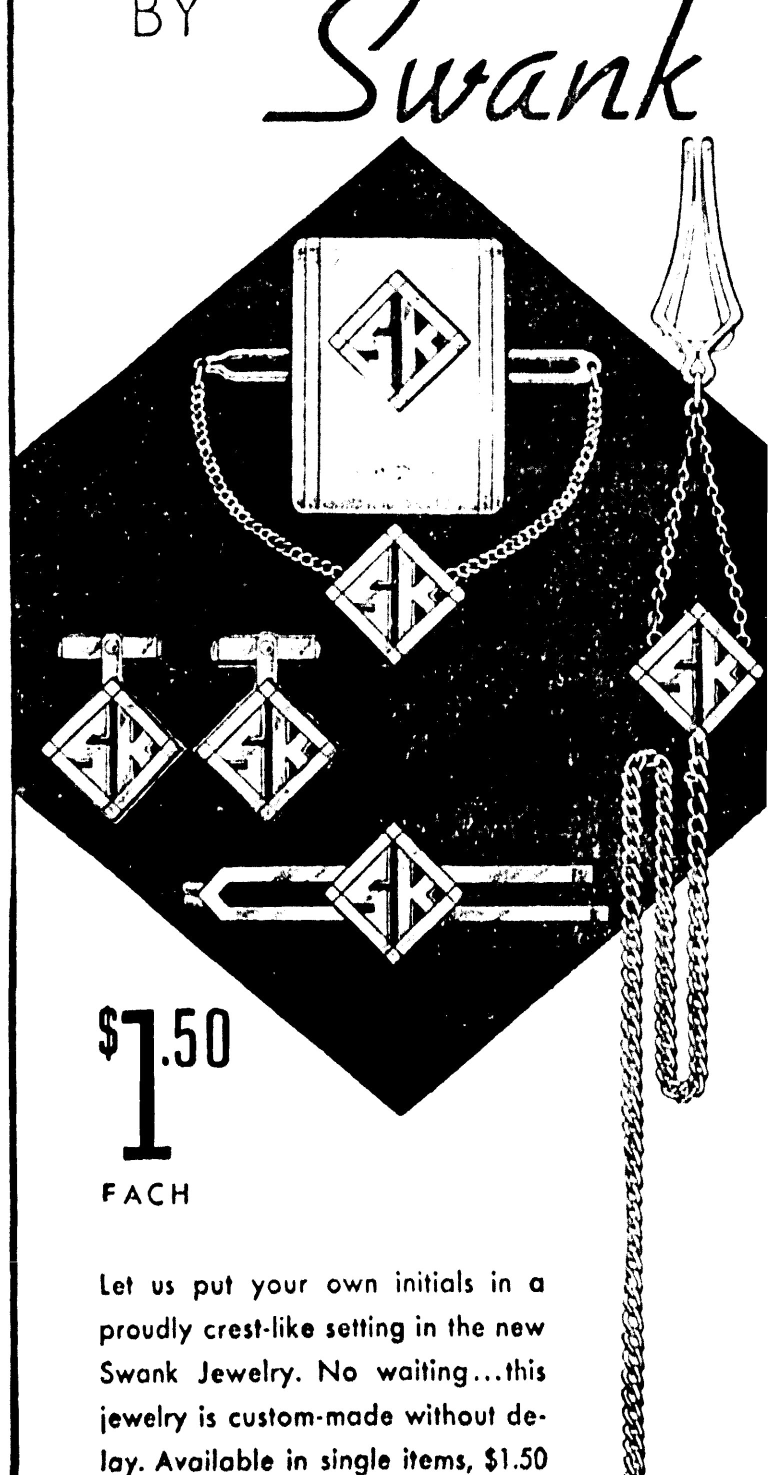

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Pending the arrival of the real Santa, youngsters of the two cities are finding unusual pre-Christmas exciting in the mechanical Saint Nick at Sears, Roebuck and company that sees, hears and talks. This replica of Santa stands three and a half feet high and converses with the children who visit the toy department on the third floor regarding their Christmas desires.

In discussing current trends in toys, H. R. Hodges, manager of Sears, Roebuck and company, said that toy manufacturers must at all times be as alert to trends and styles as dress manufacturers.

"It is surprising," said Mr. Hodges, "to what degree children are style minded when selecting toys. It is a fundamental in the toy business that to be successful a toy must be a miniature of something that the child has seen and with which he is familiar. Toy automobiles, for instance, must follow in exact detail the improvements made by the automobile industry. Trains, too, follow this same trend as proven by the toy streamlined locomotives and coaches identical in appearance to the new speed trains of the modern railroad."

Illustrating further, Mr. Hodges explained that toy kitchen stoves have followed step by step the evolution of real stoves from the huge wood-burning ranges of years ago to the sleek, porcelain enameled table-top gas or electric stoves of today. Toy telephones are now the cradle type with dial, and pianos for children are mostly baby grands rather than the upright.

Current events also exert a powerful influence on the toy industry, the Sears manager said. After Lindbergh's famous flight in 1927, replicas of toy "Spirit of St. Louis" airplanes were demanded by every child interested in aviation. After the speedy Atlantic crossings of the Queen Mary and the Normandie, toy ships patterned after these swift vessels sold exceedingly well. And the Dionne quintuplets are an example of an event that created world interest and proved a veritable windfall for doll manufacturers. Dolls bearing a resemblance to such movie and radio personalities as Judy Garland, Deanna Durbin, Sonja Henie, the Walt Disney characters, and Charlie McCarthy's pal Mortimer Snerd, this year occupy an important place among toys.

Toys made of indestructibe rubber are another recent development in the toy industry which this season is expected to influence buying to a considerable extent for they have the advantage of being unbreakable and of having no sharp corners to mar floors or furniture.

BIKE SPEEDSTER TAKEN FOR RIDE

After cautioning him against any back seat driving, little Prudence Rigsbee obligingly gives Doug Peden, who, with his brother Torchy, forms one of the speediest combinations in six-day bike race circles, a lift on her new racer. Equipped with a hand-brake and suspended springs, the racer is typical of the many velocipedes being featured in the huge toy section at Sears, Roebuck and company here.

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Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Hammett, parents of J. W. Hammett, who is a teacher in the Neville High school, on Wednesday will celebrate the 62nd anniversary of their marriage at the home of a daughter, Mrs. G. D. Lovelady, in the Lapine community.

Mr. Hammett is in his 85th year and his wife is in her 84th year. Both are in fairly good health. Besides their son and daughter mentioned, they have another daughter, Mrs. T. D. Stuckey of Rayville, 18 grandchildren and 40 great-grandchildren.

Mr. Hammett recalls how he came to Louisiana with his parents from Georgia when 17 years old. The trip was made in a covered wagon and Monroe was only a small hamlet. The family settled with other Georgians in Claiborne parish.

Both aged people recall vividly their early experiences in pioneering in this section. Schools were operated only three or four months in the year in those early times and there were many handicaps and hardships encountered.

In 1933, at the Ouachita Valley fair, they were awarded a prize for being the couple present who had been married for the longest time. Their friends assert that they have probably been married longer than any other couple in Ouachita parish.

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Welcoming the visiting chapters, Mayor Jodie Smith of Delhi designated the day as "Future Farmers' day" and "turned the town over to" the organization.

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An unusual opportunity for the local public will be afforded here Tuesday night when Ted Shawn and his famous men dancers will be presented at the Northeast Junior college auditorium. The men's glee club of the college is to be the sponsor.

Mr. Shawn has won international renown for his expert ensemble and he will present a ballad in four acts entitled "O Libertad." It is said that perhaps at no time in his long and brilliant career has Shawn shown such diversity or touched upon so wide a range of subject matter as in the program which he will present when he and his eight men dancers come to the local college.

The past summer was spent at Jacob's Pillow, Shawn's training camp, which is located in western Massachusetts, where the celebrated company contribute much time to the creation of new dances and to keeping fit for coast-to-coast tours.

Ted Shawn plans to spend from six weeks to two months this winter in a studio established in the Florida lake region. This will enable the dancers to continue their work without interference of climatic conditions. It is on this 200-acre "farm" where Shawn and his men make their home when not on a tour.

On the same site is a large barn which serves as studio and workship. Every Friday for 10 weeks during the summer, Shawn gives tea-lecture demonstrations. These programs, open to the public, are given for the purpose of creating appreciation for the dance as an art in the public mind.

Some press comments reveal the high position that Shawn presentations are held by the public. The Boston Herald said: "Not only was the program the greatest work that Shawn has created, but it is in most respects the greatest dance creation that America has yet produced."

The Pittsburgh Sun-Telegraph stated: "It is an epoch making performance. Like Walt Whitman, Ted Shawn is expressing America."

It is said that Monroe is a far smaller city than most cities where Shawn appears and for that reason the public here is unusually favored by being able to see such a program as he and his men present.

Tickets are now on sale in the college bookstore.

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"Actually," he said, "we are subsidizing imports of goods which we produce. Any program which permits goods from countries which have depreciated currencies to enter the United States at substantial reduced duties is opposed to the best interests of American agriculture and industry."

McNary said he thought the agreements had proved a "real hardship" to many American producers, "even in normal times" but that present situation might be partially corrected by the exercise of Secretary Hull's power to reopen or cancel the trade agreements.

Support for the trade program came during the day from another westerner, Senator Hatch, Democrat, New Mexico.

"I favor the reciprocal trade treaty program and its continuance, but I have not been pleased with negotiations that might let in farm crops of which we have a burdensome surplus," Hatch said.

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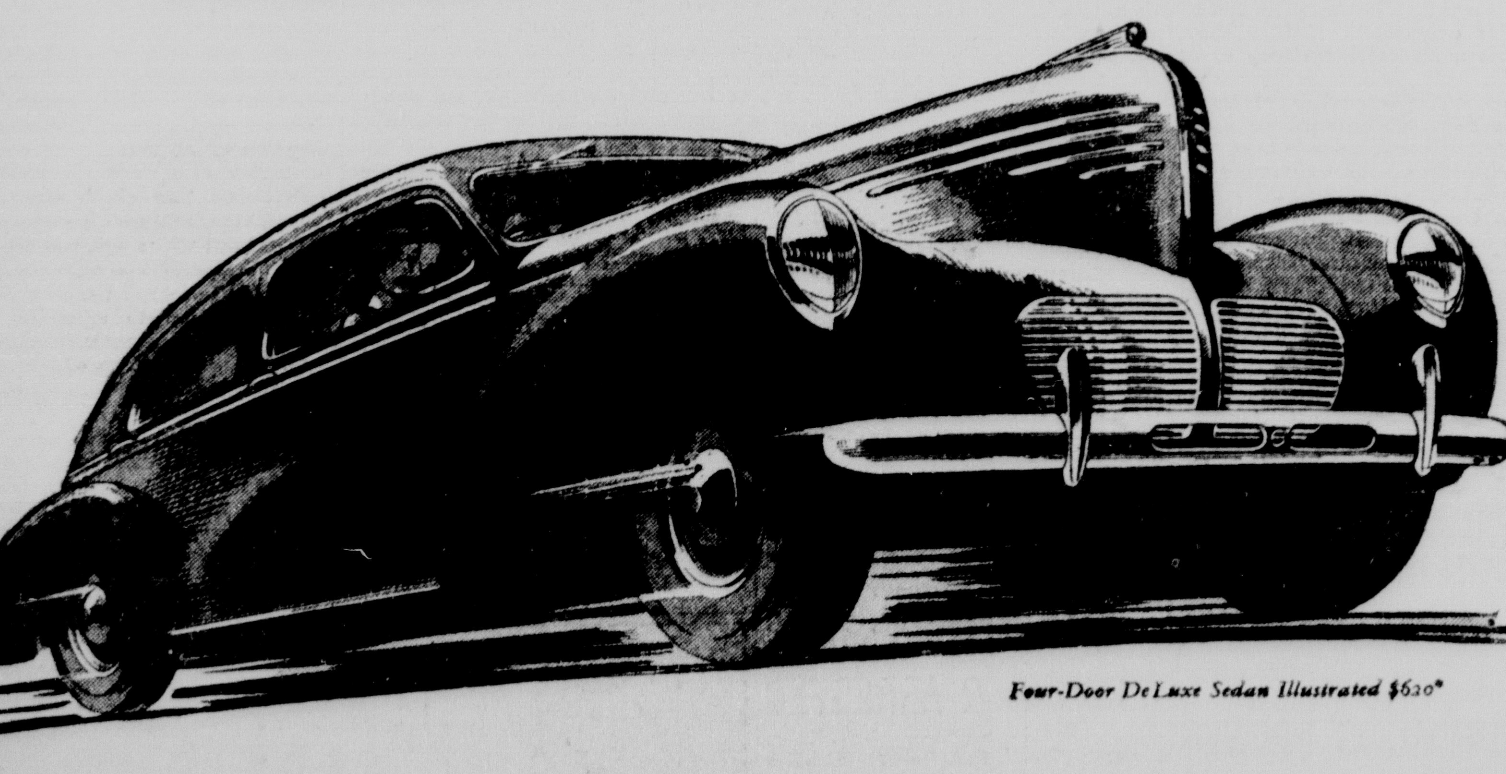

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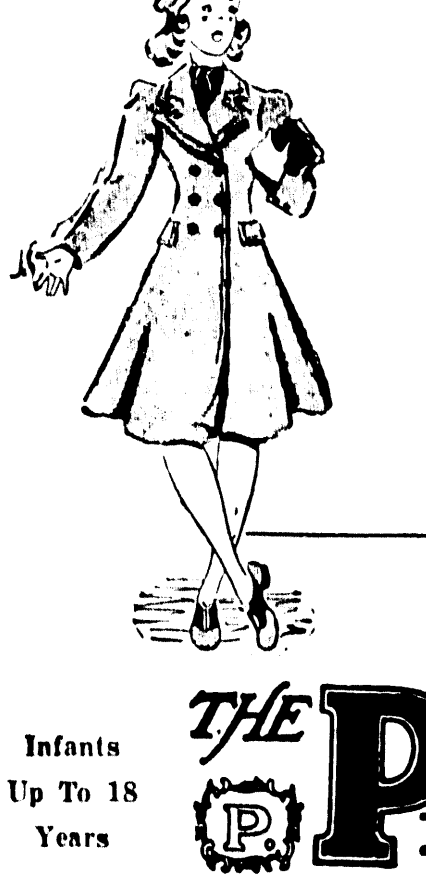

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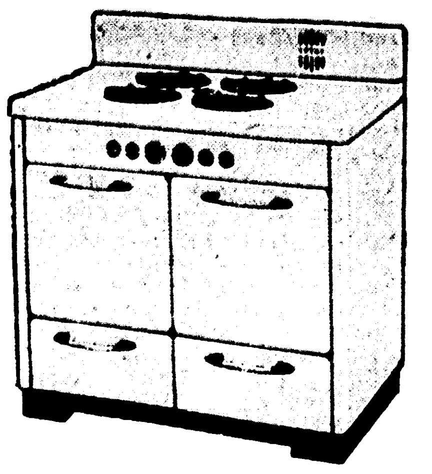

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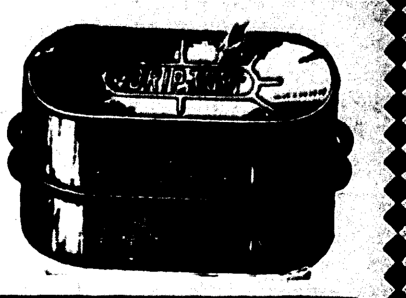

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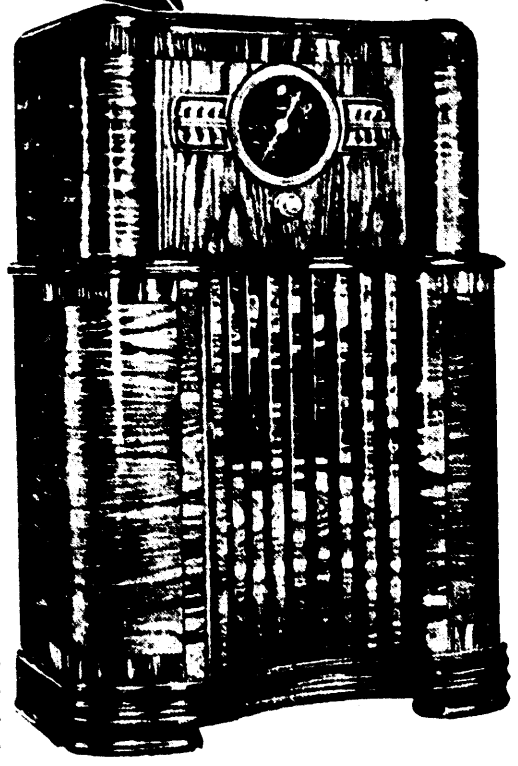

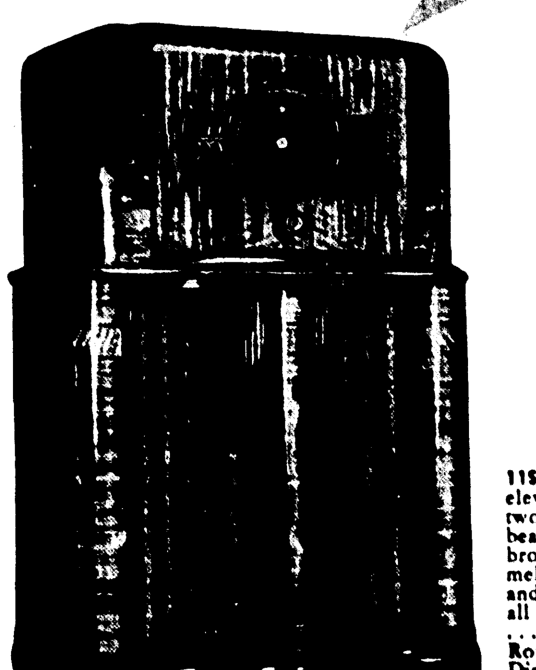

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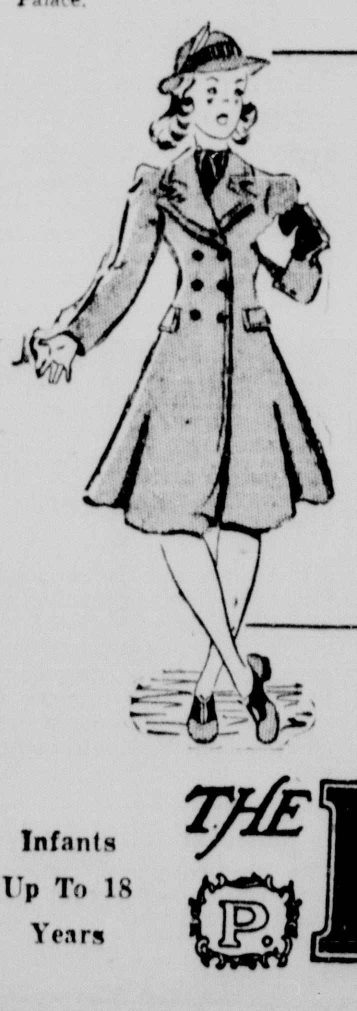

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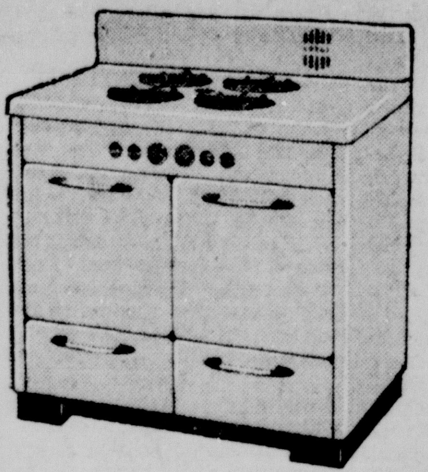

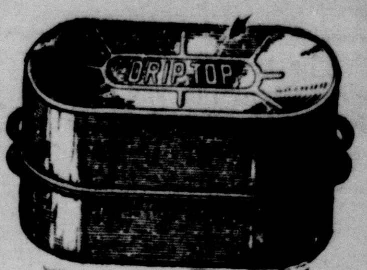

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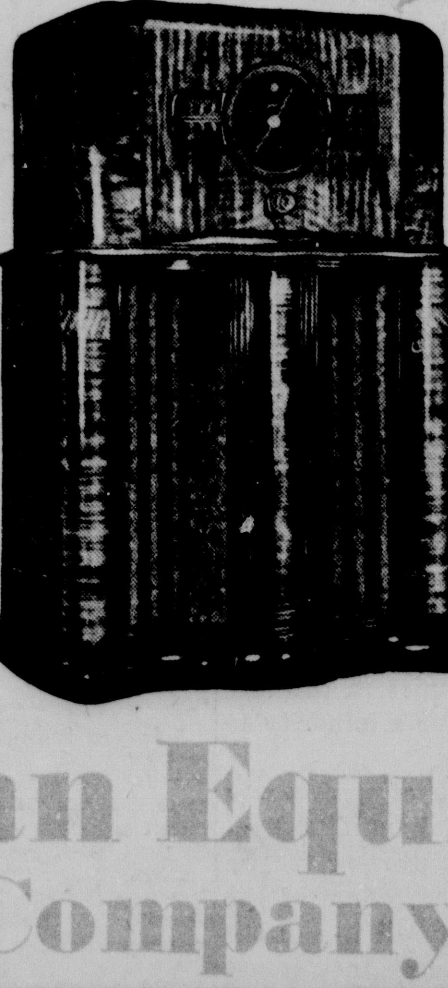

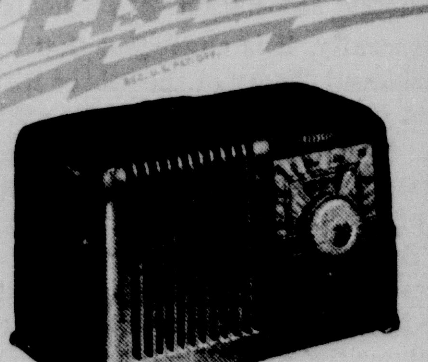

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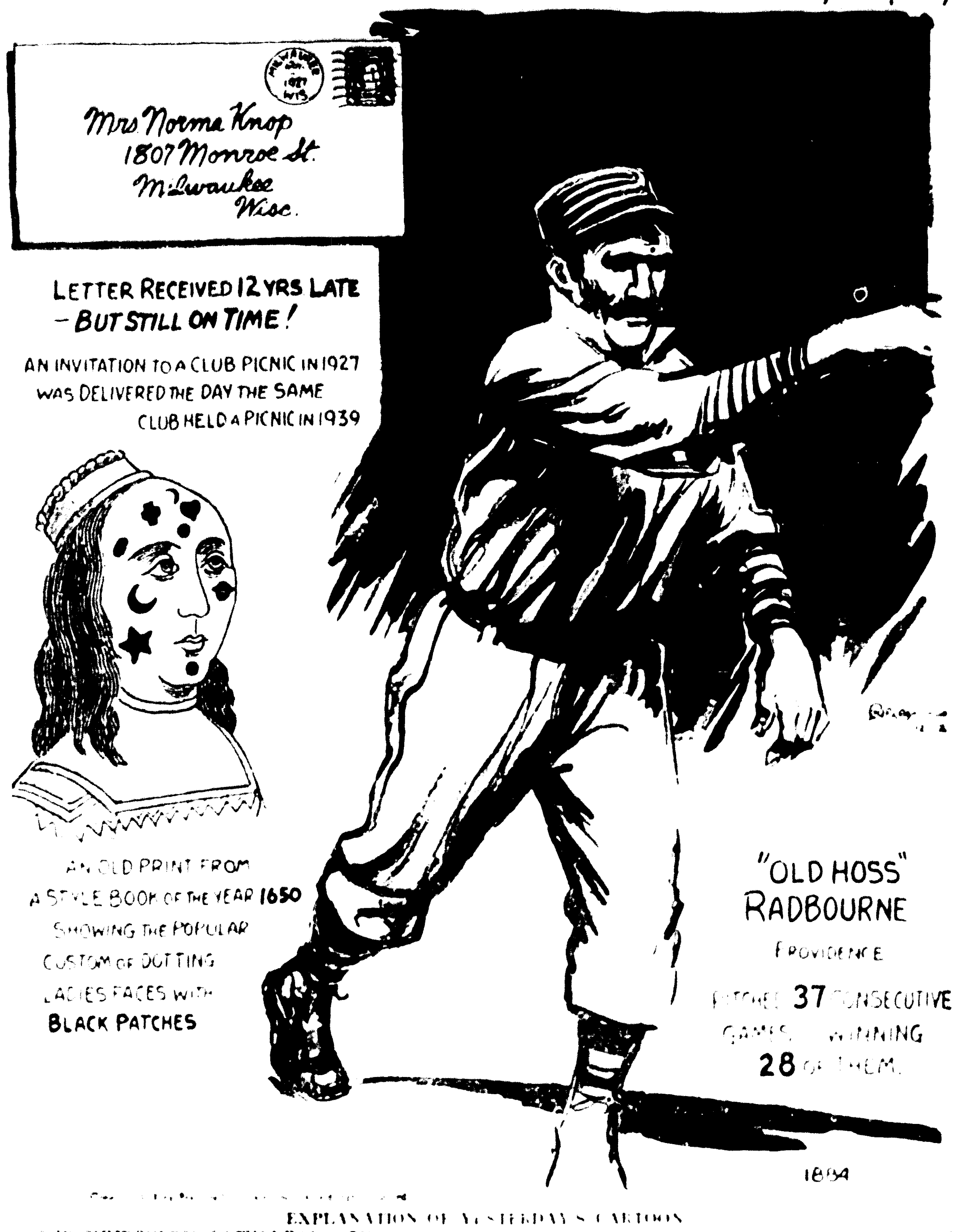

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YOUR HEALTH

By Dr. Morris Fishbein

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Nine conditions accounted for 72 per cent of the deaths in the United States in 1937. The series of articles which followed is a study of these causes of death. People can, if they wish, help cut down the total number of deaths from these causes and also prolong their own lives.

The nine killers are:

1. Diseases of the heart.
2. Influenza and pneumonia.
3. Cancers and other malignant tumors.
4. Nephritis or inflammation of the kidneys.
5. Hemorrhage of the brain, and softening of the brain.
6. Tuberculosis.
7. Malformations at birth or other diseases that attack babies before the age of one.
8. Motor vehicle accidents.
9. Diabetes.

Heart disease led all other causes of death, being responsible for almost one-fourth, or exactly 25.9 per cent of the total. It destroyed 346,401 lives. Once it took its toll primarily among youth. But it has changed somewhat in the nature of its attack on the human body, and is more important as a cause of death in older people.

Among people 60 years of age heart disease caused 33.9 per cent of the deaths. Among youth between the ages of 5 and 19, it caused 6.4 per cent of deaths.

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Today the diseases of the heart that destroy life are chiefly chronic diseases. The probability that a human being will eventually die from chronic heart disease is 1 1-2 times the chance that he will die either from tuberculosis or cancer.

Heart disease is the leading cause of death at almost every period of life, being outranked only by accidents and appendicitis among males at the ages of 10 to 14.

Heart disease is not a single condition. It includes many different factors. There is inflammation of the lining of the heart, which is caused chiefly by infections. There is disease of the valves of the heart, which is frequently caused by infections, but which may result, as well, from the degenerative changes that take place with age.

Certain valvular diseases, like that of mitral valve, are chiefly of rheumatic origin. Another valve is attacked more often by syphilis. Disease of the aorta, the large blood vessel which leads from the heart, is more common in middle life and affects men more often than women.

By far, the most important type of heart trouble is degeneration of the muscle of the heart, which is shown first by enlargement. An enlargement of the heart results from strain on the organ and weakness of the muscle induced by disease.

OUR CHILDREN

BY ANGELO PATRI

BY ARRANGEMENT

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O I know, but the crowd are really such fun, and I love to go."

Right enough. Then have a party here at home, invite them all. You can dance and sing and do what you like right here. I'll be glad to help you."

But that was not what the young lady wanted. She wanted the noise and the band, the crowd and the effervescence of the party at the inn. That might be arranged for by giving the mothers a chance to inform themselves of the arrangements and to provide what they considered suitable entertainment, refreshments, and management.

Young people in their teens like to get away from the stricter regulations of home and school and convention, but they have to learn to abide by them. These were made for their protection, and are as necessary today as in the days of their grandmothers.

Mothers have to be on guard the afternoon the young person announces with assumed casualness, "I'm going out tonight." It is a declaration of independence and separation from mother-control and it takes quick thinking and smart action to keep the relationships well-balanced. What makes this announcement a truly casual event is the 17 years of family relations that preceded it. At best it is a delicate situation.

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In downtown New York, descendants of the first man to manufacture glass eyes in the United States are still carrying on the same business.

WASHINGTON DAYBOOK

By Preston Grover

WASHINGTON—Out of a contemplated national budget of nine billion dollars (count 'em), it seems as if congress ought to be able to chisel off a couple of billion at least. But when you begin looking at the budget—item by item—you can't escape the conclusion that there will not be much trimming.

The congressional heart is probably as hard as any other heart in the mass. But the congressional heart is never confronted by the budget in the mass. It is confronted by it peacemeal. And the congressional heart, section by section, melts. The long odds are that, in the coming session of congress, the mass heart will melt again [illegible] and there will be no cutting down of appropriations.

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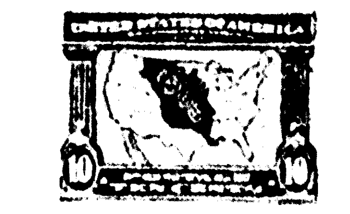
By I. S. Klein



Thirteen States Carved From Louisiana Purchase

WHEN Jefferson bought the Louisiana Territory from Napoleon at 3 cents an acre, he doubled the size and the number of states of the Union. All or part of 13 states have been created from the original area. The Louisiana Purchase 10-cent commemorative stamp, above, shows the Louisiana Purchase in dark tint, on a map of United States.

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Fifty-three governments, including more than 30 under British rule, did not issue a single new stamp during 1939.

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If France and Britain successfully blockade Germany, many new stamps may be placed on the market. In recent years several governments have depended upon Berlin printers to produce their stamps. With this source cut off, other arrangements will be necessary.

BIBLE THOUGHT

At destruction and famine thou shalt laugh: neither shalt thou be afraid of the beasts of the earth.—Job 5:22.

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Some weeks ago it developed that Uncle Sam was giving his attention to the Louisiana state primary of 1936. However, nothing definite was heard from Washington on the subject and the machine leaders hoped that it was simply more campaign talk. They are now disillusioned. Washington officially announces that it is going after election crooks who used the mails in all states. This, of course, includes Louisiana.

The knowledge that the state primary of 1936, in Orleans and other south Louisiana parishes, was disgracefully dishonest is not agitating the machine crowd half as much as the fear that the probing of it will seriously handicap the ballot box stuffers and crooked tabulators next month. The activity of federal probers will force abandonment of old methods of securing majorities—and particularly in the bailiwick over which Robert S. Maestri presides as political czar.

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WASHINGTON—The surprise attack which was to have opened the Smith committee's investigation of the national labor relations board has been postponed. The hearing will get under way here on December 11 in a more or less routine manner.

Without saying anything about it, the committee had planned to open its hearings early this month in California. This would have given it the highly-publicized west coast maritime labor situation (Harry Bridges) to work on, and would have it in California dividing headlines with the La Follette committee, which is just beginning its Associated Farmers probe.

Illness of Chairman Howard Smith upset the plan, however. Congressman Smith is recovering from a severe attack of flu; is regaining his strength by daily auto rides and by walking in the garden of his home at Alexandria, Va., but won't be well enough for travel until after the first of the year. Revised plans call for a visit of the committee to California some time in January.

Batters At State Barriers

Heading up Harry Hopkins' drive to remove interstate trade barriers is a tall, slim, sandy-haired chap named Paul Truitt, of the industrial economics division of the department of commerce. He's been in that job only since August 1; came to commerce from the treasury, where he had been on special assignment from the temporary national economic committee in a study of government purchasing. He came to treasury, in turn, in 1938 from an executive post with Sears, Roebuck and company.

Truitt is a quiet, soft-spoken chap who plays golf in the 90's, has a somewhat better game of bridge, and would rather like to be a farmer. In biting into the state trade barrier tangle he is tackling one of the items which Harry Hopkins wrote down on his "things to do" calendar when he first took charge of the commrece department.

Bridges' Fate Up To Landis

Harry Bridges' status as a west coast labor leader may be settled finally before this year is out. A decision is expected from James M. Landis, whom Secretary Perkins named special examiner to hear the Bridges deportation case. Hearings were held last summer and early in the fall; briefs from both sides were filed with Landis late in October.

It is up to Landis to decide whether Bridges is to be deported. Technically, Secretary Perkins can overrule him; in practice, the decision of the examiner in a case like this is generally final.

Townsend Still Strong

The Townsend pension campaign in Pennsylvania is beginning to send out political rumblings. Dr. Townsend and Senator Sheridan Downey are just finishing a tour of the state, and they drew some heavy crowds. In one city, where 3,000 people got into a 2,500-capacity hall to hear them, a Republican county committeeman told the senator:

"If the Republicans and Democrats had combined to put on a mass meeting here, they couldn't have got half the crowd you people did. Where are you folks going, anyhow?"

Whether they get there or not, the doctor and the senator are going in the general direction of a controlling voice in next year's presidential election. As a tangible sign of their presence, they are leaving in Pennsylvania a chain of 20 radio stations which will broadcast Townsend plan programs four times a week from now until election day.

JIMMIE FIDLER In Hollywood

HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 9—Dear Staff: What a merry-go-round a rising but too ambitious young actor can hook a ride on! It's like this:

The bigger his initial success, the more important he thinks he is and the more money he wants. The more money he gets, the more responsibility rests on his shoulders. And bang—it's that added responsibility that's been the downfall of many a newcomer.

Take a girl like Martha Raye. She came to Hollywood from a sister profession, night clubbing. At first she played comedy bits, and audiences ate her up. Well, the more laughs and good notices she received, the more important she became. She demanded bigger roles. As her parts enlarged, her original salary seemed to dwarf, so pretty soon she had to have more money to keep pace with her success.

But given more money, she had to be given bigger roles, for her salary soon outgrew bits. So the merry-go-round whirled faster and faster—fatter parts and she asked more money, which in turn called for still fatter parts. Before long, Martha found herself drawing a star's salary, and she was expected to play star roles.

But here's the pity of it: She isn't star material. She is essentially a supporting player. She's terrific in comedy relief, but not strong enough to carry a picture. So first thing you know, Paramount dropped her from contract. She'd failed as a star, where she might have gone on forever in supporting roles.

I have used Miss Raye (who should be brought back to pictures) only as an example; there are others I might have used. It's an old Hollywood custom, this grabbing the movie merry-go-round—and tumbling off while trying to snag the gold ring.

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Dear Boss: Judging by financial reports on her current personal appearance tour, Martha Raye's tumble hardly calls for tears. She seems to have made a perfect landing in a gold mine!

Speaking of coin, plenty of it will change hands in Hollywood this evening, for betting on the U. C. L. A.-U. S. C. football fracas has been fast and furious. The L. A. coliseum will be the place to see stars today. At Metro, for instance, every troupe has cheerfully gone to work 30 minutes early and toiled 30 minutes late each day this week in order to "get ahead" and be able to close shop by kickoff time. And since your hirelings want to do the same, let's get down to news briefs:

There's more to that eastern jaunt of Wallace Beery's than merely buying a new plane. Wally will also shop in mid-western orphanages for a baby boy to adopt. Nor is that all. He says he won't stop acquiring children until he has a total of four!

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A Cleveland correspondent postcards a gracious gesture by Connie Bennett. No sooner had she arrived for a p. a. date in that city than she received a phone call from one Mary Moore, a negro gal who worked, years ago, as her maid but resigned to try for a singing career. Mary Moore, opening in a Cleveland nite club that evening, confessed her career had not been prospering. "We'll fix that," said Connie—and took a big party of Cleveland's swankiest to see her ex-maid do her stuff. The nite club manager is still agape.

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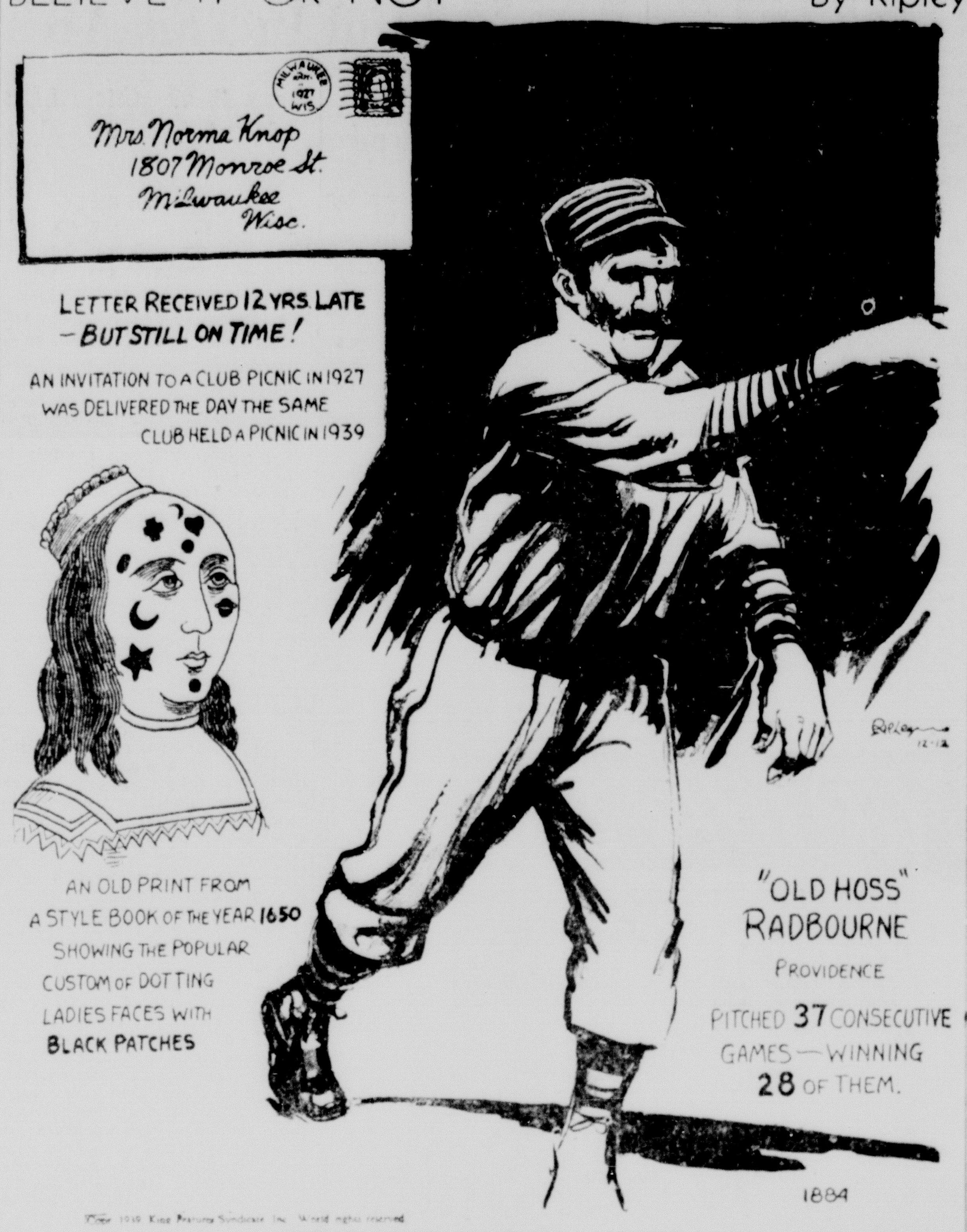

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To escape momentarily from war, and rumors of war, I understood that the International Master of Ladies Hairdressers will be meeting soon to tell the girls how they shall do their topknots this coming season.

Talk about your dictators! Hitler and Stalin aren't in it with international master ladies hairdressers when it comes to ordering the superior sex around and telling them what to do and what not to do. In fact, Hitler and Stalin and Mussolini and the late Kemal Ataturk did try it, but the ladies told the dictators respectively to go jump in the Rhine, the Volga, the Tiber and the Bosporus.

In the matter of hairdo even angels fear to tread and men—men stand silent as in a peak in Darien.

There comes a cablegram from Paris as another grateful interlude in the depressing flow of war news. Quite as bewildering as this insane war are the new hat styles. Women's hats—not men's. They are crazier than ever—hog-wild—in an arrogant otubreak of shakos, tricornes, busbies, pill-boxes, fur war-bonnets and a horrendous new number built like a Polynesian war canoe.

Just lean back, close your eyes for a moment and picture Elizabeth Barrett Browning languishing in lace and ribbons, and topped off with a tall, black felt cockade with guns fore and aft. Then perhaps it would be just as well to consult the nearest psychiatrist. But that's how they are styling the girls these days.

Are the bright and dark angels contending here? Is it back to Godey's Lady's Book or forward to Jane's Fighting Ships? Hats and hair-dresses and hair-dos have always been a little daft, demented, and, to sum it up, non compos mentis.

The eighteenth century shrieks with examples of how women go haywire over head-dressings. Under Marie Antoinette, French ladies wore head-dresses so high that a short woman's chin was exactly midway between her feet and the top of her hair-do. No carriages could conveniently accommodate these towers of gauze, flowers and plumage. When the queen added to the height of her head-dress in 1776, its uppermost tier had to be removed as she entered her coach, and replaced when she alighted. Ladies of the court knelt on the floor of a carriage thrusting their heads out of the window. In dancing they were always afraid of bumping into the chandeliers. Well—the girls are at it again and one reflects more in sorrow than anger that there isn't a thing in the world we boys can do about it.

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Certainly unusual is that news story which comes from Edmonton, Alberta, that 3,000 buffalo, 1,800 elk, 500 deer, 125 moose and—of all things—35 yak are to be slaughtered in Canada's great game preserve, Wainwright park. The buffalo and other meat will be sold to private contractors, and the hides will be made into winter coats for the Royal Canadian mounted police.

The great Wainwright herd, roaming under primitive conditions over a hundred thousand acres, and rigidly protected, has increased fifty-fold from the original herd of seven hundred in 1917—one of the last buffalo herds in existence at that time. In fact, our great American naturalist, the late Dr. Hornaday, asserted that there were only about one thousand left in the United States. They were that close to extinction.

In both Canada and the United States, the herds have thrived amazingly, and Canada has to kill off a certain proportion every few years.

The American west supplies few epics more amazing than the wholesale destruction of the great creatures which once grazed from the Rio Grande to Canada, and, in early days, as far east as Indiana and Ohio. In 1870 the government reckoned their number at fifty million. General Dodge, in 1871, drove for 25 miles along the Arkansas river through an unbroken herd of at least half a million buffalo.

I have listened by the hour to the late Colonel William F. Cody and to Bat Masterson, famous two-gun marshal of Dodge City, as they told of the buffalo hunts of the seventies. The wholesale slaughter began neither for sport nort profit but as the only means of rounding up the Indians and keeping them on their reservations. The red man would not stay put so long as there were buffalo to hunt for food, furs and fun. Then the commercial possibilities became evident and the great killing began. In 10 years the great plains region was white with buffalo bones, and of living buffalo not one to be seen in a week's journey. Cattle and sheep took the place of the bison. Wheat, corn and rye took the place of the buffalo grass. The Indians were subdued. The railroads pushed their way in from all directions and the wild west soon went the way of the buffalo.

YOUR HEALTH

By Dr. Morris Fishbein

Editor, Journal of the American Medical Association, and of Hygeia, the Health Magazine

Nine conditions accounted for 72 per cent of the deaths in the United States in 1937. The series of articles which followed is a study of these causes of death. People can, if they will, help cut down the total number of deaths from these causes and also prolong their own lives.

The nine killers are:

1—Diseases of the heart.
2—Influenza and pneumonia.
3—Cancers and other malignant tumors.
4—Nephritis or inflammation of the kidneys.
5—Hemorrhage of the brain and softening of the brain.
6—Tuberculosis.
7—Malformations at birth or other diseases that attack babies below the age of one.
8—Motor vehicle accidents.
9—Diabetes.

Heart disease led all other causes of death, being responsible for almost one-fourth, or exactly 23.9 per cent of the total. It destroyed 346,401 lives. Once it took its toll primarily among youth. But it has changed somewhat in the nature of its attack on the human body, and is more important as a cause of death in older people.

Among people 60 years of age, heart disease caused 33.9 per cent of the deaths. Among youth between the ages of 5 and 19, it caused 6.4 per cent of deaths.

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Today the diseases of the heart that destroy life are chiefly chronic diseases. The probability that a human being will eventually die from chronic heart disease is 1 1-2 times the chance that he will die either from tuberculosis or cancer.

Heart disease is the leading cause of death at almost every period of life, being outranked only by accidents and appendicitis among males at the ages of 10 to 14.

Heart disease is not a single condition. It includes many different factors. There is inflammation of the lining of the heart, which is caused chiefly by infections. There is disease of the valves of the heart, which is frequently caused by infections, but which may result, as well, from the degenerative changes that take place with age.

Certain valvular diseases, like that of mitral valve, are chiefly of rheumatic origin. Another valve is attacked more often by syphilis. Disease of the aorta, the large blood vessel which leads from the heart, is more common in middle life and affects men more often than women.

By far, the most important type of heart trouble is degeneration of the muscle of the heart, which is shown first by enlargement. An enlargement of the heart results from strain on the organ and weakness of the muscle induced by disease.

OUR CHILDREN

By ANGELO PATRI

BY ARRANGEMENT

"By the way, mother, I'm going to go to the dance next Friday night with Tom Tinker. I'll need to have my organdie pressed."

"Just a minute, Anne Marie. The other night you surprised me by announcing that you were going out with this boy to this dance and I, not wanting to embarrass you, and myself, let it go by and allowed you to go. That was against my better judgment, and I told you so. I also warned you that it would not happen again. Now you try it the second time. You will not go to this dance with Tom Tinker or with anybody else. You are not going at all. I don't approve of the dance and I would have told you so had you let me know you had thought of going."

"But mother! You can't do that. I've told him I would go. And the crowd expect me. How can I say I am not going? You can't do that."

"I didn't do it. You did it. And I had warned you not to do it the second time. You remember that, don't you?"

"Yes, but my goodness, I didn't suppose that you'd put me in this ridiculous position. I simply have to go now that I've made the engagement."

"No, you needn't. If you don't want to excuse yourself I'll do it for you, gladly. I can say that I do not approve of dances for young people that are held in roadside inns and break up at morning. And also, that I do not approve of dances where drinks are sold to the dancers, especially when they are young people in their teens."

"Now, mother. You know that I do not drink."

"Of course, I do. And I'm glad to know it, I can tell you. I'm not going to risk your health, your reputation, your good habits by sanctioning any such performance. You knew that I would not consent to your going, so you tried to rush me again. Now didn't you?"

"O, I know, but the crowd are really such fun, and I love to go."

"Right enough. Then have a party here at home, invite them all. You can dance and sing and do what you like right here. I'll be glad to help you."

But that was not what the young lady wanted. She wanted the noise and the band, the crowd and the excitement of the party at the inn. That might be arranged, too, by giving the mothers a chance to inform themselves of the arrangements and to provide what they considered suitable entertainment, refreshments, and management.

Young people in their teens like to get away from the stricter regulations of home and school and convention, but they have to learn to abide by them. These were made for their protection, and are as necessary today as in the days of their grandmothers.

Mothers have to be on guard the afternoon the young person announces with assumed casualness, "I'm going out tonight." It is a declaration of independence and separation from mother-control and it takes quick thinking and smart action to keep the relationships well-balanced. What makes this announcement a truly casual event is the 17 years of family relations that preceded it. At best it is a delicate situation.

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In downtown New York, descendants of the first man to manufacture glass eyes in the United States are still carrying on the same business.

WASHINGTON DAYBOOK

By Preston Grover

WASHINGTON—Out of a contemplated national budget of nine billion dollars (count 'em), it seems as if congress ought to be able to chisel off a couple of billion at least. But when you begin looking at the budget—item by item—you can't escape the conclusion that there will not be much trimming.

The congressional heart is probably as hard as any other heart—in the mass. But the congressional heart is never confronted by the budget in the mass. It is confronted by it peacemeal. And the congressional heart, section by section, melts. The long odds are that, in the coming session of congress, the mass heart will melt again, piecemeal, and there will be no cutting down of appropriations.

Congress can always make a show and demonstrate that it cut the budget—but that claim is always a publicity cheat. The budget is what the various departments ask for. As a matter of well-established practice they always ask more than they expect to get, although they will defend every dollar as essential to the continued national existence.

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Congress Raises F. D. R.

The president gets first chance at cutting the budget. He too is a past master at doing it the skillful way. More than one congressman will tell you that the president does his heavy trimming in items which he expects congress will put back. The idea is that it leaves him a margin so he may be lenient with those portions of the budget for which he has shown special favor in recent years—notably the Navy and Army.

As an example, he trimmed a slug off farm benefits a couple of years ago and suggested that congress could put it back only if it was willing to raise the extra money by taxation. The congressmen didn't raise the money but did put back the appropriation—and the president has been punishing them verbally ever since.

Take individual appropriations, then the point is clearer. For the old-time services of the department of agriculture, such as extension work, inspection, experiment stations, and the like, about $391,000,000 is needed. But the department of agriculture appropriation last year was $1,289,000,000. Where did it all go to, and why can't some be cut off?

Well, $654,560,000—two-thirds of a billion—went out as soil conservation and benefit or parity payments to cotton growers, tobacco growers, corn and wheat growers, and farmers in general. In an election year do you expect mid-western senators and house members, or those from the cotton and tobacco belt, or the trans-Mississippi wheat states, to vote for cutting that figure? If you think so, you have never seen a congressman in the flesh.

Congress cut the emergency relief appropriation last session, but even then it reached the somewhat staggering sum of $1,755,000,000. That is barely half what it has been at times, congress is more likely to increase that sum even for this year than to cut it.

Take the next item, the veterans' administration appropriation of $561,093,000. That sum, too, will increase, not decrease. Have you heard any one arguing for a reduction of the CCC? That cost $295,000,000 this year.

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Firing Won't Help

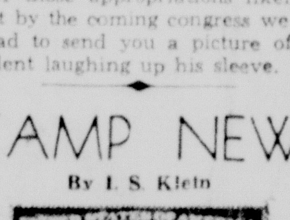
How about the Army? It got $531,940,000 in 1939, and the sum was jacked up to $742,058,000 for the current 1940 fiscal year. The president has already asked another $118,000,000 to pay for increasing the Army immediately. Moreover, only a small amount of the total cost of the new air program has been covered by appropriations. Unless the program is stopped in mid-air (nice pun, suh), more cash must come.

The navy got $625,066,000 in 1939 and $778,188,000 in 1940. To pay for ships already started more must come next year. The president has lumped additional army and navy needs into a flat half billion. That will mean an even two billion for defense. Want to cut it?

You can't make a dent in such figures by firing a few dozen secretaries. If you can put your finger on a single one of those appropriations likely to be cut by the coming congress we will be glad to send you a picture of the president laughing up his sleeve.

STAMP NEWS

By I. S. Klein



Thirteen States Carved From Louisiana Purchase

WHEN Jefferson bought the Louisiana Territory from Napoleon at 3 cents an acre, he doubled the size and the number of states of the Union. All or part of 13 states have been created from the original area. The Louisiana Purchase 10-cent commemorative stamp, above, shows the Louisiana Purchase in dark tint, on a map of United States.

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Fifty-three governments, including more than 30 under British rule, did not issue a single new stamp during 1939.

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If France and Britain successfully blockade Germany, many new stamps may be placed on the market. In recent years several governments have depended upon Berlin printers to produce their stamps. With this source cut off, other arrangements will be necessary.

BIBLE THOUGHT

At destruction and famine thou shalt laugh: neither shalt thou be afraid of the beast of the earth.—Job 6:22.

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The world is a comedy to those who think; a tragedy to those who feel.—Horace Walpole.

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Illustration Actual Size

Elizabeth 17 Jewels $24.75

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Miss America "B" · Minute Man "B" · Goddess of Time — $33.75
Officer · Lady Oxford · Miss America "E" — $37.50

"MISS AMERICA B" . . . dainty, 10-kt. yellow gold filled case. 17 jewels.
"MINUTE MAN B" . . . curved case in 10-kt. yellow rolled gold plate. 17-jewels.
"GODDESS OF TIME" . . . accurate 17-jewel movement in a dainty square case.
"MISS AMERICA E" . . . 10-kt. yellow gold filled case. 17-jewel movement.
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"LADY OXFORD" . . . 10-kt. yellow rolled gold plate, wide link band. 17 jewels.

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Martha Washington · Ambassador · Lady Bulova — $42.50
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"MARTHA WASHINGTON B" . . . engraved case set with 2 diamonds. 17 jewels.
"AMBASSADOR" . . . accurate, 21-jewels. 10-K yellow gold filled case.
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GLASSELLS' OIL ALLOWABLE CUT

Restriction Clamped On Tight- [illegible] After "Unfair Discrimination" Charged

[illegible]

GRAMBLING TAKES TESTS FOR RADIO

[illegible]

HIGHWAY POLICE WORK 222 CASES

Seventeen Arrested On Various Charges And Others Receive Warnings

[illegible]

JONES ATTACKS HOT OIL DEALS

Asserts Many Being Robbed Of Royalties By 'Political Big Shots'

[illegible]

owned land as far away as Rodessa."

Dr. Mouton, speaking in French and English, charged that under the present administration the state had been the victim of "pillaging and plundering our resources and tax money, the like of which neither Louisiana nor any other state has ever seen before."

Gremillion declared that "the people are beginning to realize that the state belongs to them and not to a bunch of political thieves."

John E. Coxe, candidate for state superintendent of education, charged that T. H. Harris, superintendent of education, [illegible] an overdraft of $2,455,000 [illegible] the state's school funds during the last year and [illegible] blamed the [illegible] treasurer, saying that the [illegible] have stopped [illegible] [illegible] allowed [illegible] [illegible] expenditure [illegible] school funds [illegible] has allowed [illegible] right graft," Coxe said. "It [illegible] a danger [illegible] to allow the school system to remain longer under his control. He grows more dictatorial every day."

Charles A. [illegible] candidate for [illegible] of agriculture, declared [illegible]

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TWO CANDIDATES GET LABOR ENDORSEMENT

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 9.—(AP)—[illegible]

[illegible]

CANDIDATES SPEAKING ITINERARIES ANNOUNCED

[illegible]

James A. N[illegible]

[illegible]

Friday: Denham Springs, 10:30 a.m.; Covington, [illegible] p.m.; Mandeville, 4:30 p.m.; S[illegible]

Saturday: [illegible], 2:30 a.m.; Amite, 1:30 p.m.; Independence, 3:30 p.m.; Ponchatoula, 7:30 p.m.

Sunday, December [illegible]: Port Allen, 11:30 a.m.; Plaquemines, 2:30 p.m.; Gonzales, 7:30 p.m.

James H. Morrison arranged to speak tonight at Kenner.

The itineraries for Governor Earl K. Long and Vincent Moseley were not announced.

MARRIAGES

ETIER-HARPER

MANGHAM, La., Dec. 9.—(Special)—Johnnie Etier of Mangham and Miss Loraine Harper, daughter of Mrs. M. L. Bell of Mangham, were married Wednesday night December 6, at the home of Rev. D. W. Poole of Tallulah. Miss Harper was a recent graduate of Mangham High school and was in training a while at St. Francis sanitarium in Monroe. Mr. Etier is a graduate of Mangham High school and of Northeast Junior college, Monroe. He is now employed by Ritchie Grocer company in Monroe.

RABB-HOPKINS

FERRIDAY, La., Dec. 9.—(Special)—The marriage of Miss Marjorie Lee Rabb, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard P. Rabb, of Ferriday to Jack Hopkins of Waterproof, was celebrated Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home of her parents. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Edgar Dufresne, pastor of the Methodist church, before a group of friends and relatives of the couple. Clusters of white chrysanthemums decorated the home. The Bride had as her attendant her sister, Miss Gene Rogillio. Mr. Hopkins had as best man, James Warmbrod, of Nashville, Tenn.

Following the ceremony a reception at which only the bridal party and members of the immediate members of the family attended was held at the home of the bride's parents. Following a bridal tour to the gulf coast and New Orleans they will make their home in Waterproof, on their return.

Canada's domestic exports in the first ten months of 1939 totaled $726,741,865 compared with $682,716,799 in the corresponding period of 1938.

'JULIET' WANTS TIME TO THINK

Isn't Sure Yet Whether She Wants To Marry Court-Minded 'Romeo'

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—(AP)—Eileen Herrick, a confused "Juliet," cried tonight, "I want to be left alone, to lead a peaceful, quiet life, to think things over" before deciding whether she'll marry her Romeo, George Lowther [illegible]

But, said the [illegible] raven-haired 20-year-old post-deb, if it hadn't been for parental interference, she'd "probably" be married to George right now.

She voiced her desire to be "left alone" at a press conference she said [illegible] [illegible] a mass interview in which she first parried questions with evasive replies and insisted she wanted [illegible] the whole thing over [illegible]

[illegible]

family." And Eileen agreed that was right.

"Does Mr. Lowther know of your decision to think it over?" she was asked.

She toyed nervously with her purse.

"No—" she answered slowly, "I don't think he does."

Gradually, out of monosyllabic replies, the picture of what she intends to do emerged something like this:

She's going to stay at home—or maybe go away—but she's going to see George as often as she likes and go out with him as often as she cares to.

Her parents, the social-registered Walter P. Herricks, agree, she said.

Both George and she have discussed marriage, she said, but never considered themselves "formally engaged" and now, Eileen explained, she doesn't know "what the status is."

ROADS IMPROVED BY FEDERAL AID

Year's Work Completed At Cost Of $2,792,688, U. S. Paying $1,879,644

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—(AP)—During the [illegible] year 97.2 miles of roads and streets in Louisiana were [illegible] the federal-state [illegible] program [illegible]

[illegible]

amounted to $2,857,465 during the year.

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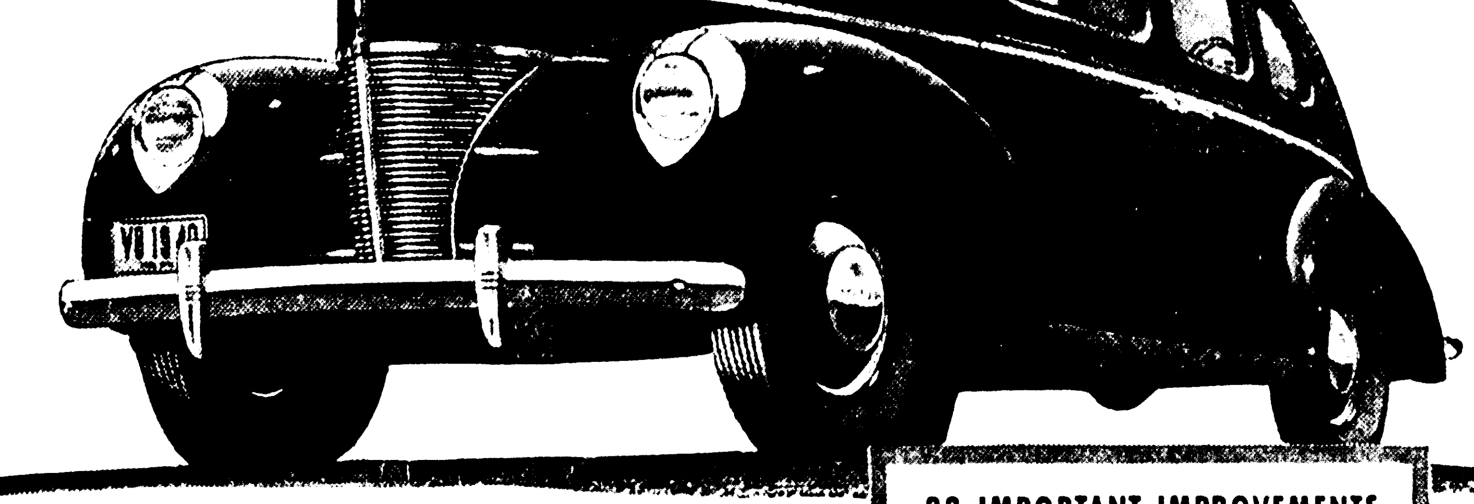

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GLASSELLS' OIL ALLOWABLE CUT

Restriction Clamped On Tighter After 'Unfair Discrimination' Charged

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 9.—(AP)—The Louisiana conservation department today issued a special order limiting production of oil at the Jennings field, Acadia parish, and further reducing the allowable of Glassell and Glassell, Shreveport oil firm, which in a federal court suit charged the department with "unfair discrimination."

Conservation Commissioner Ernest S. Clements, who held an open hearing on the Jennings proration while the federal suit was held in abeyance, issued the order, reducing production for the entire field from 19,135 barrels a day in October, when the suit was filed, to 16,160 barrels a day for December.

The order was made retroactive to December 1. The commissioner specified that potential production tests of each well in the field will be made by the operators in presence of a representative of the conservation department within 60 days and that corrections may be made in the well allowables if they are shown to be capable of producing more than they are allocated—up to 200 barrels a day.

The order provided that each well in the field capable of producing 200 barrels of oil or more a day be allowed to produce a maximum of 200 barrels daily, and that each well not capable of producing that much might produce whatever amount it was capable of producing.

In the federal suit, filed by Alfred C. Glassell, Sr., and Alfred C. Glassell, Jr., an injunction to restrain the commissioner from enforcing the October order was asked. It was agreed by the firm and by the conservation department to hold the suit in abeyance until after the hearing, provided a new order was issued within 10 days from the opening of the hearing. Sessions of the hearing were held in Baton Rouge and Lake Charles.

The Glassells said in the suit that they owned 40.23 per cent of the productivity of the field, but that the October order permitted them to produce only 25.86 per cent of the field's allowable.

That percentage amounted to 3,585 barrels of oil daily. The order for December limited production from the Glassells' 15 wells to 2,885 barrels a day, which is about 17 per cent of the total allowable for the Jennings field.

Witnesses produced by the Glassells at the hearing testified that the Jennings southwest flank production was from a common source of supply. The firm argued that production allowables should be determined by acreage and not by the number of wells.

The Glassells' suit charged that, although the Glassell wells were spaced at an average of one well to 3.89 acres, and the average for the entire field was one well to 2.30 acres, Commissioner Clements had denied them permits for more drilling on their land. They charged that some operators in the field had been allowed to drill more than one well to the acre.

GRAMBLING TAKES TESTS FOR RADIO

John Grambling, watchmaker in a local jewelry store, and a member of the Ouachita Valley Amateur Radio club, is another West Monroe man interested in radio who hopes he has finally entered the ranks of radio "Hams," the name by which amateur radio operators are known all over the world.

Interested in amateur radio for several months, Mr. Grambling took the Federal Communications commission examination here in Monroe last week. The preliminary test included sending and receiving international Morse code at the rate of thirteen words per minute, the speed prescribed by the Federal Communications commission in Washington.

After successfully demonstrating his knowledge of the code to Howard E. Griffin, W5CNG, and P. P. Lynch, W5EGK, both members of the Ouachita Valley Amateur Radio club, who gave the examination, Mr. Grambling then took the second, or theoretical part of the test which was composed of a series of questions dealing with power supply, frequency measurement, transmitter theory and practice, radiotelephony, radio treaties and laws, and Federal Communications commission regulations.

HIGHWAY POLICE WORK 222 CASES

Seventeen Arrested On Various Charges And Others Receive Warnings

State police of the seventh Louisiana district, comprising the parishes of northeast Louisiana, handled 222 cases during the month of November in addition to conducting investigations into 19 traffic accidents, according to a report at district headquarters here yesterday.

Seventeen persons were arrested on various charges and many others received warnings in regard to proper lighting, brakes and licenses for motor vehicles.

Cases handled by state police over the district were listed as follows:

Vehicles operating without licenses, seven; vehicles operating with improper licenses, 46; vehicle operating with only one license, one; persons apprehended operating commercial vehicles without chauffeur's license, 12; vehicles operating with improper lights, 133; persons arrested on various charges, 17, and tickets of a warning nature issued, six.

Arrests were on the following charges: Drunk driving, five; operating motor vehicle with improper lights, six; reckless driving, one; hit and run driving, one; operating motor vehicle at night with a spotlight, one; parking on public highway at night without lights, two, and passing a school bus while children were being unloaded, one.

During the first seven months of 1939, Canada spent $1,500,000 on airports and airways.

JONES ATTACKS HOT OIL DEALS

Asserts Many Being Robbed Of Royalties By 'Political Big Shots'

JENNINGS, La., Dec. 9.—(Special)—Sam Jones, speaking here tonight before more than 700 people in the W. C. T. U. hall, charged that the Jennings oil field was the center of much of the state's hot oil activities.

"Many of you people are being robbed of your royalties by these big shot politicians who are running hot oil out of some of these wells here," he said. "And the state treasury is being robbed of the severance taxes on that oil."

Speaking with him were five members of his state ticket, the only one not appearing being Mayor Charles C. Goyne of Ruston, candidate for state auditor, who will join the party Tuesday.

The Lake Charles candidate declared that he was giving the people of southwest Louisiana the chance to vote for a governor from their own section of the state for the first time in the state's history. He also pointed out that two other members of his ticket are from this section of the state, Dr. Marc M. Mouton of Lafayette, candidate for lieutenant governor, and James A. Gremillion of Crowley, candidate for secretary of state. "Earl Long says that if he is elected he is going to double the old age pension; well, why don't he do it now?" Jones shouted.

"He is more governor right now than he ever will be again. Why don't he help the old people? Why don't he help the farmers? He's got the legislature in the palm of his hand."

Jones charged the present state administration with turning a deaf ear to the needs of the rice farmers. "They don't know anything about the problems of the rice farmers. They haven't got anybody in the department of agriculture who knows anything about rice. In fact, they haven't got a department of agriculture—they've got one man, who used to be a railroad conductor and a baseball player and who does nothing except crack jokes at parish fairs and issue a bulletin once in a while. Why haven't you had a rice experiment station as a part of the state department of agriculture for the past ten years?"

"This fight is won," Jones said. "From now on all our meetings are going to be celebration meetings."

Eugene Stanley, candidate for attorney general, asserted that the administration was panicky. 'They know I'm going to be the next attorney general," he declared. "They'd even trade Earl Long to beat me as attorney general because they know I'm going to open the conservation books and expose all this crooked state oil and land leasing."

Harvey Peltier, administration candidate for lieutenant governor, 'developed an uncanny ability to locate state owned oil land," he said. "He could stand on his porch on Bayou LaFourche and smell oil on state owned land as far away as Rodessa."

Dr. Mouton, speaking in French and English, charged that under the present administration the state had been the victim of "pillaging and plundering our resources and tax money, the like of which neither Louisiana nor any other state has ever seen before."

Gremillion declared that "the people are beginning to realize that the state belongs to them and not to a bunch of political thieves."

John E. Coxe, candidate for state superintendent of education, charged that T. H. Harris, superintendent of education, had allowed an overdraft of $2,455,000.00 on the state's school funds during the past year, and had blamed the state treasurer, saying that the treasurer should have stopped the overdraft. "He has allowed not only carelessness in the expenditure of school funds, but has allowed downright graft," Coxe said. "It would be a dangerous thing to allow the school system to remain longer under his control. He grows more dictatorial every day."

Charles A. O'Brien, candidate for commissioner of agriculture, declared that the state, as such, had never given serious consideration to agriculture. "You know that it's impossible for one man to sit in an office at Baton Rouge and tell the farmers in every section of the state how to run their business," he said.

TWO CANDIDATES GET LABOR ENDORSEMENT

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 9.—(AP)—Support for two gubernatorial candidates was announced today from within the ranks of organized labor.

Edward W. Burns, international vice-president of the Hotel and Restaurant Employes' alliance (A. F. L.) endorsed State Senator James A. Noe.

At the same time James L. Reilly, Old Regular campaign manager and other leaders in the Earl Long organization here announced in a statement that they were glad to see the Louisiana Federation of Labor endorse Long for governor.

Burns charged that "organized labor in Louisiana has been dominated by the machine now in power" and declared:

"The action of the executive council of the state federation anent Mr. Long does not bind a single union in the state. It has as a matter of fact thrown the labor movement in turmoil, for many unions do not approve of Earl Long.

"My local union and I are supporting James A. Noe for governor. There are laboring men running on Mr. Noe's ticket."

The Reilly statement, also signed by Dr. Joseph A. O'Hara and Clem H. Sehrt, Louisiana Democratic association campaign managers in New Orleans, said:

"Endorsement of the Earl K. Long administration ticket by the Louisiana State Federation of Labor reflects the tidal wave throughout the entire state which is sweeping our entire ticket into victory in the Democratic primary January 16 by the greatest majority in the history of the state."

CANDIDATES' SPEAKING ITINERARIES ANNOUNCED

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Sam Jones:

Monday: Elizabeth, 4:15 p.m.; Oakdale, 7:30 p.m.; Glenmora, 8 p.m.

Tuesday: Iota, 10 a.m.; Church Point, 1:30 p.m.; Rayne, 3:30 p.m.; Crowley, 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday: Chicot, 10 a.m.; Arnaudville, 10:30 a.m.; Leonville, 1:30 p.m.; Melville, 3:30 p.m.; Opelousas, 8 p.m.

Friday: Morganza, 10:30 a.m.; Jarreau, 1:30 p.m.; New Roads, 3:30 p.m.; St. Francisville, 7:30 p.m.

Saturday: Watson, 9:15 a.m.; Walker, 10:15 a.m.; Livingston, 11 a.m.; Holden, 11:30 a.m.; Albany, 12:30 p.m.; Springfield, 1:30 p.m.; Port Vincent, 2:30 p.m.; Denham Springs, 7:30 p.m.

James A. Noe:

Monday: Plain Dealing, 11 a.m.; Cotton Valley, 1:30 p.m.; Homer, 4 p.m.; Haynesville, 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday: Oil City, 10:30 a.m.; Rodessa, noon; Ida, 3:30 p.m.; Cedar Grove, 7:30 p.m.

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Sunday (December 17): Port Allen, 11:30 a.m.; Plaquemines, 2:30 p.m.; Gonzales, 7:30 p.m.

James H. Morrison arranged to speak tonight at Kenner.

The itineraries for Governor Earl K. Long and Vincent Moseley were not announced.

MARRIAGES

ETIER-HARPER

MANGHAM, La., Dec. 9.—(Special)—Johnnie Etier of Mangham and Miss Loraine Harper, daughter of Mrs. M. L. Bell of Mangham, were married Wednesday night December 6, at the home of Rev. D. W. Poole of Tallulah. Miss Harper was a recent graduate of Mangham High school and was in training a while at St. Francis sanitarium in Monroe. Mr. Etier is a graduate of Mangham High school and of Northeast Junior college, Monroe. He is now employed by Ritchie Grocer company in Monroe.

RABB-HOPKINS

FERRIDAY, La., Dec. 9.—(Special)—The marriage of Miss Marjorie Lee Rabb, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard P. Rabb, of Ferriday to Jack Hopkins of Waterproof, was celebrated Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home of her parents. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Edgar Dufresne, pastor of the Methodist church, before a group of friends and relatives of the couple. Clusters of white chrysanthemums decorated the home. The Bride had as her attendant her sister, Miss Gene Rogillio. Mr. Hopkins had as best man, James Warmbrod, of Nashville, Tenn.

Following the ceremony a reception at which only the bridal party and members of the immediate members of the family attended was held at the home of the bride's parents. Following a bridal tour to the gulf coast and New Orleans they will make their home in Waterproof, on their return.

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'JULIET' WANTS TIME TO THINK

Isn't Sure Yet Whether She Wants To Marry Court-Minded 'Romeo'

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—(AP)—Eileen Herrick, a confused "Juliet," cried tonight, "I want to be left alone—to lead a peaceful, quiet life—to think things over!"—before deciding whether she'll marry her Romeo, George Lowther, 3rd.

But, said the black-eyed, raven-haired 20-year-old post-deb, if it hadn't been for parental interference, she'd "probably" be married to George right now.

She voiced her desire to be "left alone" at a press conference she said she called on her own initiative—a mass interview in which she first parried questions with evasive replies and insisted she "wanted to think the whole thing over—that's all I'll say."

Her side of the story in the mixed up romance came shortly after Lowther had declared he was tired of pursuing happiness through the courts and that the next move was up to her.

It looked like George might get his implied wish, too—because Eileen, at the end of an hour and a half of questioning, hesitantly admitted she "probably" would call him tonight.

She denied she ever had been imprisoned—as Lowther asserted in two appeals to the courts for writs of habeas corpus—and declared, "It's all over—I'm perfectly free."

What about the letters she wrote to Lowther—one declaring her love for him—the other just the opposite?

"I was excited and hysterical when I wrote them—now all I want is time to think it over. Maybe a month—maybe two months—maybe more."

Time after time, she parried questions with this answer—until the family friend intervened, chiding her and explaining, "She realizes now that in a way she had been disloyal to her family." And Eileen agreed that was right.

"Does Mr. Lowther know of your decision to think it over?" she was asked.

She toyed nervously with her purse. "No—" she answered slowly, "I don't think he does."

Gradually, out of monosyllabic replies, the picture of what she intends to do emerged something like this:

She's going to stay at home—or maybe go away—but she's going to see George as often as she likes and go out with him as often as she cares to.

Her parents, the social-registered Walter P. Herricks, agree, she said.

Both George and she have discussed marriage, she said, but never considered themselves "formally engaged" and now, Eileen explained she "doesn't know" what the status is.

ROADS IMPROVED BY FEDERAL AID

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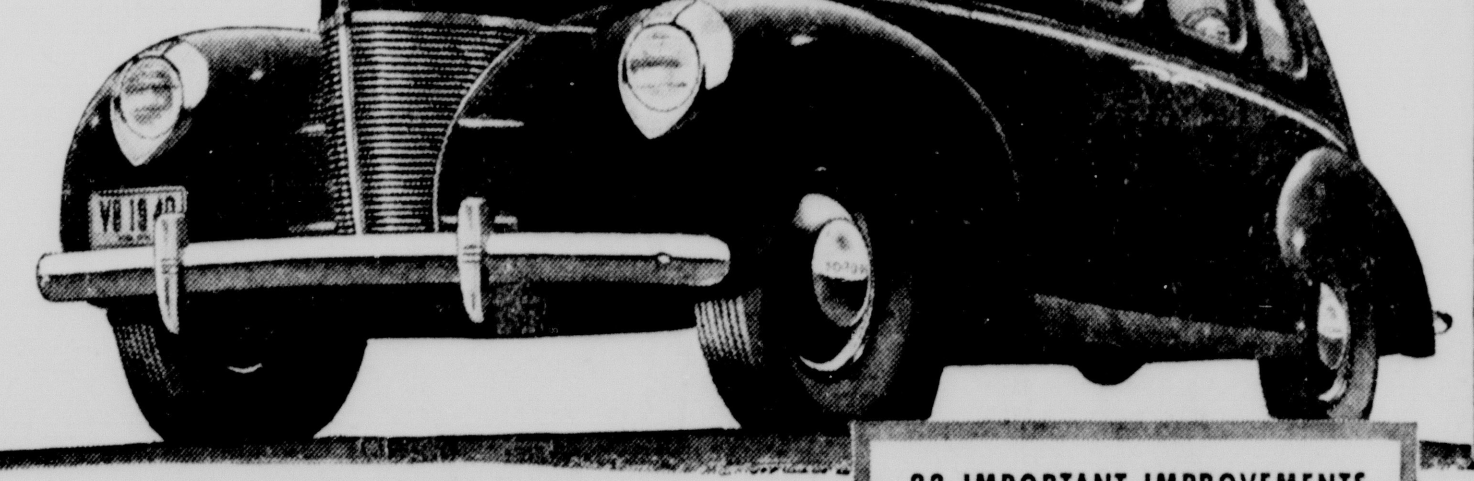

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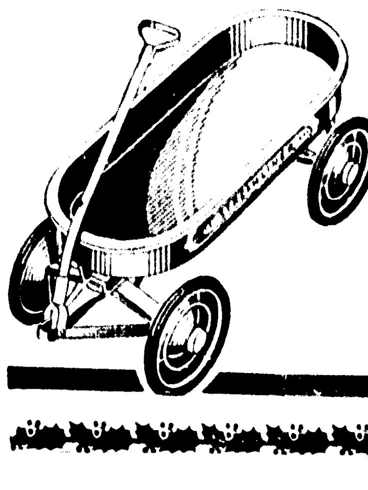

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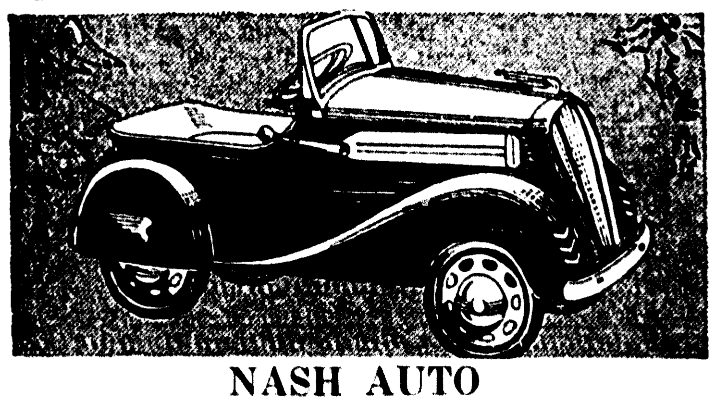

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CHURCHES

ASSEMBLY OF GOD
West Monroe
E. L. Tanner, Pastor

The revival services with great interest [illegible]

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

[illegible]

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH

[illegible]

CHURCH OF CHRIST
South Second And Apple
J. P. Lowrey, Minister

[illegible]

"And when all our work is done
And [illegible] the western sun
Upon [illegible] and fame
A [illegible] the name
Perhaps [illegible] humbly pray
'God [illegible] the record say,
Upon the [illegible] He bore
The [illegible] nothing more'"

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES
Corner Auburn Ave. and North Second St.

"God the Preserver of Man" is the subject of the lesson-sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, Sunday, December [illegible]

The Golden Text is: "The Lord shall preserve thy going out and thy coming in from this time forth, and even for evermore" (Psalms 121).

Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible: "And the Lord shall deliver me from every evil work, and will preserve me unto his heavenly kingdom: to whom be glory for ever and ever. Amen" (II Tim. 4).

The lesson-sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "Kingdom of Heaven. The reign of harmony in divine Science; the realm of unerring, eternal, and omnipotent mind; the atmosphere of spirit, where soul is supreme" (p. 590).

THE CHURCH OF GOD
Corner Polk And Lidell Streets
Rev. Clyde C. Cox, Pastor

Sunday school at 10 a.m. Morning sermon at 11 a.m. Young people's service at 6:30 p.m. Regular evening sermon at 7:15 p.m.

The public is cordially invited to attend service and worship with us the week-end. Prayer meeting each Wednesday at 7:15 p.m. The evening message Sunday will be delivered by Rev. Clyde C. Cox, state overseer of the Church of God.

Tuesday night the church will sponsor a special missionary service, Mrs. Pearl M. Stark returned missionary from Africa, will be the principal speaker. Mrs. Stark will lecture on her work in Africa showing slide pictures of the conditions in that heathen land among the West African tribes. Mrs. Stark visited Monroe a few years ago. With her at that time was her husband. Since he has died while they were in Africa. Hear her tell of his death and her trip from Africa during the war siege.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Corner St. John And Oak Streets
R. T. Watson, Minister
E. H. Williamson, Church Superintendent
Mrs. P. J. Newman, Choir Director

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THE CHURCH OF GOD
West Monroe

[illegible]

GRACE CHURCH
Fourth And Glenmar Streets
Edward Forrest Hayward, Rector

[illegible]

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Jackson At Wood Street
The Church With The Lighted Steeple

[illegible]

Sunday, December 24 at [illegible] The congregation will be privileged to [illegible] offering to the [illegible] fund.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
West Monroe
Dr. C. Karlos Smith, Pastor

All Methodists and friends are urged to begin this new conference year by attending the Sunday school and church services. Loyalty to the church is a mark of Christian character and an unmistakable sign of love for the Lord Jesus Christ and his great cause. Our Sunday school meets at 9:45 a.m. with Mrs. R. M. McClendon superintendent and a fine trained body of teachers for every class. Preaching services are held at 11:00 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. If you appreciate real gospel messages hear Dr. Smith at these hours. No better musical program will be heard in the country than that directed by Mr. G. C. Williams director and Miss Madia McClendon at the piano with a great chorus choir. Wednesday evening at 7:30 prayer meeting with an attendance unsurpassed in the state. Methodists, show your loyalty to your church by your attendance and interest in her great program.

GORDON AVENUE METHODIST CHURCH
J. M. Alford, Pastor

The interest in all the services at Gordon Avenue continues to grow at each succeeding service. The largest number ever known took the Communion of the Lord's Supper last Sunday. The best congregation ever seen at the morning worship service assembled at that hour. We feel encouraged and cordially invite all our friends, and urgently request every member to come to the Sunday school today at 9:45 a.m., and remain for the worship service at eleven o'clock. At this time the pastor will deliver a message on "The Preservative Qualities of the Church." This subject will be presented under the similitude of "salt" (Matt. 5:13). At the evening evangelistic service the subject will be: "The Seven Things God Hates" (Prov. 6:16-19).

The Missionary society held its last business meeting of the year Tuesday afternoon. The records show that the society has raised twice as much as in any former year. Mrs. C. L. Taylor has been the president this year, and Mrs. Alford has been elected to this office for another year.

We had a wonderful prayer meeting service last Wednesday evening. We invite all to meet with us next Wednesday evening. The newly elected board of stewards meet Friday night and organized for the year's work.

Officers of the board elected are as follows: A. N. Tally, chairman, T. J. Deal, vice-chairman, W. S. Lambert, secretary, C. L. Taylor, treasurer, and W. S. Lambert, church lay leader.

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STONE AVENUE METHODIST CHURCH
Stone Avenue And South Third Street
L. L. Yeager, Pastor

[illegible]

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
Corner Of [illegible] And Richmond Streets

[illegible]

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

[illegible]

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH
Harrison And D'Arbonne Streets
Sherrouse Addition
Vernon C. Grosse, Pastor

[illegible]

MORE YOUTHS ARE ENTERING ARMY

Sergeant Harold B. McNemar, local army recruiting agent, 301 postoffice building, Monroe, announced Saturday that the following named young men of this vicinity have been enlisted the past week:

Air corps, Hawaii, Hal H. Perry, Jr., James B. Smith.

Air corps, Maxwell field, Grover C. Kelly.

Quartermaster corps, Barksdale field, Johnnie H. Bullock, Woodrow W. McKenzie.

Fort Benning, William F. Brandon, Aaron R. Cummins, Emmette L. Cummins, E. E. Lusinger, Thomas N. O'Neal.

Coast artillery, Panama, Charlie S. Blaylock, Walter W. Curry, Jr., James R. Hemphill, Johnnie C. Hislop and John H. Jones.

Lieutenant-Colonel C. L. Clifford, army recruiting officer for the states of Louisiana and Mississippi, with headquarters in New Orleans, announces that the army drive for recruits is now in full swing with the objective of filling all new vacancies recently authorized by the president on or before December 31. All United States army recruiting stations in these two states are working to fill existing quotas for assignment to practically all branches of the army; air corps, signal corps, medical department, quartermaster corps, coast artillery and infantry. New recruits can take their choice of stations to Alaska, Hawaii, Panama, Puerto Rico and for United States service at Fort Benning, Ga., Fort Barrancas, Fla., Fort McClellan, Ala., Maxwell field, Ala., and Barksdale field, La.

TWO FIRES EXTINGUISHED

Monroe firemen were summoned to the home of A. R. Morgan, 4309 South Grand street, yesterday morning to extinguish a fire, but the blaze had been extinguished before their arrival. Children playing with matches were blamed for the blaze. A grass fire at 2908 South Grand street was also extinguished yesterday morning by members of the fire department.

BUSINESS BULLETINS

Save By Shopping At Western Auto Associate Store

You can save money on Christmas gifts and remembrances during the current Christmas sale at Western Auto Associate store, 419 DeSiard street, owned and operated by J. T. Eubank.

A wide variety of toys, bicycles, tricycles, wagons, scooters you'll find them at Western Auto Associate store at startlingly low prices. And radios, too. Home radios. Automobile radios. Table models and cabinet models, electric sets and battery sets. Just the type you want at the price you want to pay.

The bicycles, tricycles, wagons and scooters are in a wide range of sizes. [illegible]

White System Has Christmas Money

Do you need money for Christmas? Well, plenty funds are available at White System, the lending institution at 137 North Second street that specializes in making loans to salaried people for useful purposes.

Take advantage of cash buying during your Christmas shopping. Borrow the money you need from White System. It's to be had at reasonable rates and can be repaid in small monthly installments.

Character and earning power are the basis on which loans are made by White System. If you have a job and your credit rating is all right you have [illegible] in borrowing money at White System.

All embarrassment is eliminated [illegible] White System [illegible] business and applications for loans are welcomed.

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Monroe Company Oldest Termite Firm In Section

The Monroe Exterminating company, under the management of Harry Schroeder, is the oldest termite control firm in this section. It is now in its sixth year of service.

Its termite control work has met the test of time, the true test of any termite treatment. The method of treating for termites, while being constantly improved, remains basically the same as that used at the outset by Monroe Exterminating company. [illegible]

M. Kaplan And Son Have New, Used Structural Steel

[illegible]

Give Hearing This Christmas

[illegible]

Spatafora's Has Christmas Gifts

[illegible]

Electrolux Fine Christmas Gift

[illegible] Electrolux [illegible] freezing [illegible] desserts and [illegible] beverages [illegible] season.

Servel Electrolux is famous as the refrigerator that has no moving parts in its freezing system, which accounts for its permanent silence, comparative freedom from repair, long years of service, and continued low operating costs.

Sound Guarantee Given By Terminix

No guarantee of termite control work is sounder than the integrity and financial responsibility behind that guarantee, states H. C. Jamerson, manager of Terminix of Louisiana with offices in the Bernhardt building here.

According to Mr. Jamerson, many property owners who have their buildings treated for termites by small, underfinanced concerns with little or no backing have unhappy experiences with the glowing long time guarantees these concerns give. When the time comes to carry out the terms of their guarantees, these concerns often have failed or have moved on to greener pastures.

Every customer of Terminix of Louisiana, Mr. Jamerson says, is given a five-year service contract with performance guaranteed by E. L. Bruce company, manufacturers of Terminix and world's largest maker of hardwood floorings. In addition, Bruce's guarantee is insured by Sun Insurance Office, Ltd. Thus the customer has triple protection; the integrity and responsibility of Terminix of Louisiana, the vast resources of E. L. Bruce company and Sun Insurance Office, Ltd., all standing behind this guaranty representing a combined financial responsibility of over $40,000,000.

Approximately 50,000 service contracts have been issued by the 56 licensees that comprise the national Terminix organization, of which Terminix of Louisiana is the exclusive licensee in northern Louisiana. These contracts cover homes and buildings of every description which are successfully resisting termite attack with Bruce Terminix insulation.

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ASSEMBLY OF GOD
West Monroe
E. L. Tanner, Pastor

The revival continues with great interest. Brother McPherson's plain, simple, and pointed messages are heart-searching and drawing us all closer to the Lord. Conviction is resting upon the unsaved and many have prayed through to a real experience of salvation and the Baptism of the Holy Spirit.

The services today will be at the usual hours with Sunday school at 9:45 a.m. D. O. McDaniel is superintendent. Brother McPherson will be speaking at 11:00 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Christ Ambassador class meets at 6:30 p.m.

The meeting will continue through next week with services each day, beginning with a song service at 7:15 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
West Monroe
Dr. A. E. Prince, Pastor
Professor Dallas Goss, Music Director
Miss Beulah Doerr, Educational Director

Last Sunday was a history-making day in this church. From 1 to 5 p.m. the members came to the church building to make their pledges to the 1940 church budget. The budget was oversubscribed in less than three hours and pledges are still coming in. During the services today every member who did not make his pledge last Sunday is urged to subscribe. A great victory service was held last Sunday evening and 13 were baptized at the close of the service.

This church extends a cordial invitation to all to come to the services today. We are getting near the 600-mark in Sunday school and want to reach that goal. Bring every member of the family with you at 9:45 a.m. today. The B. T. U. leaders will meet at 6 p.m. Brotherhood and B. T. U. at 6:30 p.m. The pastor will preach at 10:50 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH
Monroe
3400 Lee Avenue
D. D. Cantrell, Pastor
Dale Cobb, Choir Director

We are glad to recognize the large increase in attendance last Sunday in the Sunday school. The time for beginning now is 9:45 a.m. and we welcome all our friends with us. The great program for the Baptist Training union has achieved a great work already among our people meeting each Sunday 6:30 p.m. We are anxious for all our people to be present so as to have part in arranging the socials for the Christmas season.

The pastor's sermons for the day are "Missing the Blessing" a.m. and for the evening services—"The Beguiling Serpent." It is hoped that all our people will come to the House of God and worship Him in sincerity and in truth upon this Lord's day.

The afternoon will be given to the work of the enlistment committee. We urge all our people to be prayerful about this great undertaking and to cooperate as a Christian is expected to do. If so this will be the greatest step forward yet for this church. Why should we not do our best for Christ who has done so much for us?

He who sank beneath His heavy woes,
To raise me to a crown;
There was never a gift His hands bestowed
But cost His heart a groan.

The Woman's Missionary society will meet Monday 2 p.m. Circle 1 meets with Mrs. W. M. Cummings, 311 Holly street; No. 2, meets with Mrs. W. L. Fisher, 3105 1-2 South Grand; and No. 3 meets with Mrs. Joe Hibbard, Vernon and Lee. The topic for the study is "The Constraining Love." We welcome all friends to worship with us in all services.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
South Second And Apple
J. P. Lowrey, Minister

Bible study 9:45 a.m. Worship services 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sermon subject Sunday morning "Prophecies Concerning Christ and Their Fulfillment."

Ladies' Bible class Tuesday 2:45 p.m. Prayer and song service Wednesday 7 p.m.

"And yet, when all our work is done,
And golden beams the western sun
Upon a life of wealth and fame
A thousand echoes ring the name—
Perhaps our hearts will humbly pray:
'Good Master, let the record say,
Upon the page divine, 'He bore
The cross of Jesus, nothing more.'"

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES
Corner Auburn Ave. and North Second St.

"God the Preserver of Man" is the subject of the lesson-sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, Sunday, December 10, 1939.

The Golden Text is: "The Lord shall preserve thy going out and thy coming in from this time forth, and even for evermore" (Psalms 121).

Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible: "And the Lord shall deliver me from every evil work, and will preserve me unto his heavenly kingdom: to whom be glory for ever and ever. Amen" (II Tim. 4).

The lesson-sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "Kingdom of Heaven. The reign of harmony in divine Science; the realm of unerring, eternal, and omnipotent mind; the atmosphere of spirit, where soul is supreme" (p. 590).

THE CHURCH OF GOD
Corner Polk And Lidell Streets
Rev. Clyde C. Cox, Pastor

Sunday school at 10 a.m. Morning sermon at 11 a.m. Young people's service at 6:30 p.m. Regular evening sermon at 7:15 p.m.

The public is cordially invited to attend service and worship with us the week-end. Prayer meeting each Wednesday at 7:15 p.m. The evening message Sunday will be delivered by Rev. Clyde C. Cox, state overseer of the Church of God.

Tuesday night the church will sponsor a special missionary service, Mrs. Pearl M. Stark returned missionary from Africa, will be the principal speaker. Mrs. Stark will lecture on her work in Africa showing slide pictures of the conditions in that heathen land among the West African tribes. Mrs. Stark visited Monroe a few years ago. With her at that time was her husband. Since he has died while they were in Africa. Hear her tell of his death and her trip from Africa during the war siege.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Corner St. John And Oak Streets
R. T. Watson, Minister
E. H. Williamson, Church Superintendent
Mrs. P. J. Newman, Choir Director

Church school, 9:45 a.m. Many have almost earned the first quarter's award in our attendance campaign. You can enter by attending 13 consecutive Sundays. Why not begin today?

Worship service, 10:50 a.m. This is universal Bible Sunday. Our only observance will be the sermon which will be on "The Book of Books."

We observe the Lord's supper each Sunday. Senior C. E., 6:30 p.m. Intermediate C. E., 7 p.m. Old-fashioned service 7:30 p.m. Lamps and lanterns will be used. An old reed organ will be employed. The sermon theme will be: "The Hem of His Garment." Choir practice Thursday, 7:45 p.m.

THE CHURCH OF GOD
West Monroe, Montgomery Street
Rev. J. P. Nolan, Pastor

You are cordially invited to attend our Y. P. E. service Saturday evening at 7:15 p.m. Sunday school 10 a.m. Morning sermon at 11 o'clock. Evening sermon at 7:15 p.m. Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 7:15 p.m.

GRACE CHURCH
Fourth And Glenmar Streets
Edward Farren Hayward, Rector

This day, the 2nd Sunday in Advent, is designed to set before us the great truth, that the Holy Scriptures are given us to prepare us for the judgment, as well as to testify of Christ. In the Collect, for the 2nd Sunday in Advent, we entreat Almighty God for grace to use aright the Holy Scriptures which are able "to make a man wise unto salvation." The Epistle for the day, is that portion of scripture which supplies, the language of the Collect, and which is further appropriate, because it sets forth Christ, as the "Root of Jesse," and the hope of the Gentiles. The Holy Gospel makes itself felt, as an overwhelming sublime prediction of the last day, and the fearful signs which shall precede it.

The Holy Eucharist will be celebrated at 7:30 a.m., church school will meet at 9:30 a.m. and morning prayer will be said and sermon preached by the rector at 10:45 a.m. The rector will preach the second in the series of sermons on the parable of "The Ten Virgins."

The church is opened daily from 7:30 until 5:30 p.m. Come in, rest, pray, give thanks, meditate. You are welcome!

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Jackson At Wood Street
'The Church With The Lighted Steeple'
A. M. Freeman, Minister

"The Book for the Burning Heart" is the sermon theme for the morning hour, which has been chosen in observance of Universal Bible Sunday. The minister will continue the discussions of the Bible each morning during the coming week in the radio devotionals as follows: Monday, "The Book—Its Human Side"; Tuesday, "The Book—As Thought and Language Change"; Wednesday, "The Book—The World's Present Need For It"; Thursday, "The Book—A Whole Community Pondering It"; Friday, "The Book—Its Enemies"; Saturday, "The Book—Its Friends." You are cordially invited to worship with us at both services today and listen in for the morning devotionals during the coming week. Evening service begins at 7:30.

The board of stewards will meet Monday evening at 7:30 for the regular monthly business meeting. The finance committee will meet in the church office just prior to the board meeting. The local board of Christian education will meet Wednesday evening at 7:30 in the church office. On Friday evening there will be a reception at the home of Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Doss, Jr., 501 Hilton street, to introduce our new minister and his wife, Dr. and Mrs. A. M. Freeman. The Women's Missionary society will meet in circles Tuesday at 3 p.m.

Plans are being made for a special Christmas service for the whole church on Sunday, December 24, at 5 p.m. The congregation will be privileged to share their Christmas with the superannuate ministers by directing the "white gift" offering to the superannuate fund.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
West Monroe
Dr. C. Karlos Smith, Pastor

All Methodists and friends are urged to begin this new conference year by attending the Sunday school and church services. Loyalty to the church is a mark of Christian character and an unmistakable sign of love for the Lord Jesus Christ and his great cause. Our Sunday school meets at 9:45 a.m. with Mrs. R. M. McClendon superintendent and a fine trained body of teachers for every class. Preaching services are held at 11:00 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. If you appreciate real gospel messages hear Dr. Smith at these hours. No better musical program will be heard in the country than that directed by Mr. G. C. Williams director and Miss Madia McClendon at the piano with a great chorus choir. Wednesday evening at 7:30 prayer meeting with an attendance unsurpassed in the state. Methodists, show your loyalty to your church by your attendance and interest in her great program.

GORDON AVENUE METHODIST CHURCH
J. M. Alford, Pastor

The interest in all the services at Gordon Avenue continues to grow at each succeeding service. The largest number ever known took the Communion of the Lord's Supper last Sunday. The best congregation ever seen at the morning worship service assembled at that hour. We feel encouraged and cordially invite all our friends, and urgently request every member to come to the Sunday school today at 9:45 a.m., and remain for the worship service at eleven o'clock. At this time the pastor will deliver a message on "The Preservative Qualities of the Church." This subject will be presented under the similitude of "salt" (Matt. 5:13). At the evening evangelistic service the subject will be: "The Seven Things God Hates" (Prov. 6:16-19).

The Missionary society held its last business meeting of the year Tuesday afternoon. The records show that the society has raised twice as much as in any former year. Mrs. C. L. Taylor has been the president this year, and Mrs. Alford has been elected to this office for another year.

We had a wonderful prayer meeting service last Wednesday evening. We invite all to meet with us next Wednesday evening. The newly elected board of stewards meet Friday night and organized for the year's work.

Officers of the board elected are as follows: A. N. Tally, chairman; T. J. Deal, vice-chairman; W. S. Lambert, secretary; C. L. Taylor, treasurer, and W. S. Lambert, church lay leader.

The Missionary society will meet in circles next Tuesday. We had a large choir Sunday evening and our singers were at their best. We have choir practice every Friday evening. The two Epworth leagues will meet at 6:45 p.m., the seniors in the church building, and the Intermediates in the Sunday school annex.

STONE AVENUE METHODIST CHURCH
Stone Avenue And South Third Street
I. L. Yeager, Pastor

When in Egypt some years ago, holding meetings among the soldiers, the Rev. J. Stuart Holden asked a big sergeant in a Highland regiment who was as bright and as shining for the Lord as it is possible for a saved soldier to be, how he was brought to Christ. His answer was this: "There is a private in the company who was converted in Malta before the regiment came on to Egypt. We gave that fellow an awful time. The devil got possession of me, and I made that man's life a positive burden to him. Well, one night, a terribly wet night, he came in from sentry-go. He was very tired and very wet, and before getting into bed he got down to pray. My boots were wet and heavy with mud, and I let him have one on one side of the head and the other on the other side. He just continued with his prayers. Next morning I found those boots beautifully polished by the side of my bed. That was his reply to me. My heart was broken, and I was saved that day."—Selected.

"Pray for them which despitefully use you."—Jesus. Luke 7:28.

We invite you to attend the following services. Sunday school 9:45 a.m. At the 11 o'clock service the Lord's supper will be taken. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p.m. Evangelistic service 7:30 p.m. Circle meetings Tuesday afternoon at 2:30. Prayer service Thursday evening at 7:30.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
Corner Of Thomas And Richmond Streets
C. M. And Mrs. Akin, Pastors

Sunday's services will open with Sunday school beginning at 9:45. S. P. Quigley, superintendent. Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Young people's meetings beginning at 6:30 p.m. O. L. Hoskins is president of the N. Y. P. S. and Miss Marie Venable is in charge of the juniors. Evening evangelistic service begins at 7:30. Sunday school cabinet meeting Monday evening at 7:30. Woman's Foreign Missionary society will meet Tuesday evening at 7:30 in the home of Mrs. E. L. Hoskins, 4505 Lee avenue. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening 7:30. The Woman's Bible class will hold its business and social meeting Thursday evening at 7:30 in the home of Mrs. T. G. Gardner, 2713 Lee avenue. All teachers, officers and adult members of the Sunday school are invited to be present.

Visitors and friends will receive a warm welcome to all services of the church.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Grammont at Catalpa
Ernest Holloway, Pastor

Come, we that love the Lord,
And let our joys be known;
Join in a song with sweet accord,
And thus surround the throne.

The Sabbath school is an agency of the church, looking to the enlightenment of people. Will you join us this Lord's day? With your interest and presence, our attendance will increase.

"Making Religion Real in the Home" is the subject of our morning message. "Train up a child in the way in which he should go and when he is old he will not depart therefrom."

"What Is the Soul?" is the theme for the evening meditation. It was suggested by one of the loyal churchmen of the city.

A hearty welcome awaits you!

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH
Harrison And D'Arbonne Streets
Sherrouse Addition
Vernon C. Grosse, Pastor

Sunday school meets at 9:30 a.m. Bible class at 9:45 a.m. Morning church service at 10:45 a.m. We extend a cordial welcome to everyone to come and worship with us.

MORE YOUTHS ARE ENTERING ARMY

Sergeant Harold B. McNemar, local army recruiting agent, 301 postoffice building, Monroe announced Saturday that the following named young men of this vicinity have been enlisted the past week:

Air corps, Hawaii, Hal H. Perry, Jr., James R. Smith.

Air corps, Maxwell field, Grover C. Kelly.

Quartermaster corps, Barksdale field, Johnnie H. Bullock, Woodrow W. McKenzie.

Fort Benning, William F. Brandon; Aaron R. Cummins, Emmette L. Cummins, E. E. Lusinger, Thomas N. O'Neal.

Coast artillery, Panama, Charlie S. Blaylock, Walter W. Curry, Jr., James R. Hemphill, Johnnie C. Hislop and John H. Jones.

Lieutenant-Colonel C. L. Clifford, army recruiting officer for the states of Louisiana and Mississippi, with headquarters in New Orleans, announces that the army drive for recruits is now in full swing with the objective of filling all new vacancies recently authorized by the president on or before December 31. All United States army recruiting stations in these two states are working to fill existing quotas for assignment to practically all branches of the army; air corps, signal corps, medical department, quartermaster corps, coast artillery and infantry. New recruits can take their choice of stations to Alaska, Hawaii, Panama, Puerto Rico and for United States service at Fort Benning, Ga., Fort Barrancas, Fla., Fort McClellan, Ala., Maxwell field, Ala., and Barksdale field, La.

TWO FIRES EXTINGUISHED

Monroe firemen were summoned to the home of A. R. Morgan, 4309 South Grand street, yesterday morning to extinguish a fire, but the blaze had been extinguished before their arrival. Children playing with matches were blamed for the blaze. A grass fire at 2908 South Grand street was also extinguished yesterday morning by members of the fire department.

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Save By Shopping At Western Auto Associate Store

You can save money on Christmas gifts and remembrances during the current Christmas sale at Western Auto Associate store, 419 DeSiard street, home owned and operated by J. T. Eubank.

A wide variety of toys, bicycles, tricycles, wagons, scooters—you'll find them at Western Auto Associate store at startlingly low prices. And radios, too. Home radios. Automobile radios. Table models and cabinet models; electric sets and battery sets. Just the type you want at the price you want to pay.

The bicycles, tricycles, wagons and scooters are in a wide range of sizes. You are sure to find the one you want for your tot or your older boy or girl at Western Auto Associate store.

The toys are of the popular type, the kind that make youngsters joyful on Christmas morning.

As to other appropriate Christmas merchandise handled by Western Auto Associate store. There are, to mention a few, automobile tires, heaters, batteries, horns, jacks, tools, spark plugs, floor mats and robes; all kinds of tools found useful daily around the home; flashlights; pocket knives; key cases; billfolds, and bicycle accessories of every description.

Moreover, it has electric light sets for decorating Christmas trees.

Be sure to visit Western Auto Associate store during your Christmas shopping excursions and see the things displayed there. The prices will please you, as will the convenience of buying there. It has an attractive easy-payment plan.

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Give hearing this Christmas. Make this a real Christmas for the hard of hearing member of the family. Give a lifetime guaranteed Acousticon, the compensating aid for hearing.

These aids are distributed by Acousticon Institute of Shreveport and are custom-fitted to individual needs by V. Nesbitt, manager. Mr. Nesbitt visits Monroe the second Monday and Tuesday of each month and while here he maintains headquarters at Hotel Frances.

An Acousticon will open up worlds of enjoyment and give new interest in life to a person hard of hearing. It gives back instantly the thrill of hearing group conversations, talking pictures, theatrical presentations, church services, the whole world of living sound.

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Mr. Nesbitt is an acoustician of long experience. Persons hard of hearing have found him a kind, considerate, sympathetic adviser. He makes monthly visits to Monroe to service Acousticons already in use and to offer his assistance to people who are hard of hearing.

He will be here tomorrow and Tuesday and longer if his services are required.

Acousticons are proven hearing aids. They have the approval of the American Medical association.

However, they are not expensive. They are easily within the reach of people of moderate means.

An Acousticon would be the most appreciated present you could possibly give a relative with impaired hearing. Inquire of Mr. Nesbitt about these marvelous creations of modern science.

STEADY

WAXAHACHIE, Tex.—(AP)—B. C. Lancaster, 93, recently paid taxes for the 73rd consecutive year on a farm near Sterrett. He has been a resident of Ellis county since his arrival in 1854 in a covered wagon. After the Civil War in 1865 he borrowed money from his father, purchased the Sterrett farm and has owned it since.

Memphis, Tenn., has a blue law prohibiting the sale of wieners, but permitting the sale of bologna, on Sundays.

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Take advantage of cash buying during your Christmas shopping. Borrow the money you need from White System. It's to be had at reasonable rates and can be repaid in small monthly installments.

Character and earning power are the basis on which loans are made by White System. If you have a job and your credit rating is all right, you'll have no trouble in borrowing money at White System.

All embarrassment is eliminated from borrowing by White System. Lending is its business and applications for loans welcomed.

You will always find a cordial greeting at White System, which maintains the strictest confidence in connection with loans.

Don't let immediate lack of money mar your Christmas. Borrow it from White System and repay it without difficulty as it later becomes available.

M. Kaplan And Son Have New, Used Structural Steel

Both new and used structural steel, consisting of I-beams, angles, channels, H-columns and reinforcing irons, are available at M. Kaplan and Son, corner of Adams and North Ninth streets, dealers in pipe and industrial machinery, equipment and supplies.

The new structural steel is that made by United States Steel corporation and other large manufacturers of this type of material. Having anticipated a rise in the price of steel and stocked up heavily, M. Kaplan and Son are in a position to take care of the requirements of contractors and other users of structural steel. Several carloads of the material have just been received from the mills.

M. Kaplan and Son have, moreover, a complete line of pipe for drilling purposes, gas and oil lines and practically all industrial needs. Too, it handles belting, featuring the New York Rubber company line.

M. Kaplan and Son sell everything they deal in at the lowest wholesale prices and maintain a fleet of trucks for direct delivery to customers in their trade area.

Requests for quotations on the items they stock are welcomed by M. Kaplan and Son and inspection is invited. The plant they operate for the reclamation and reconditioning of machinery, equipment and supplies and their storage yards are open at all times to the public.

Electrolux Fine Christmas Gift

Purchase of a new refrigerator as a Christmas gift is a growing trend in this vicinity as well as in other parts of the country, according to Fritz Becker, general manager of United Electric Service, 306 North Third street, who reports increased selling of Servel Electrolux refrigerators by its sales employes. The company is participating in a nation-wide fall and winter refrigerator selling contest ending December 31.

"Staging of this campaign, in which thousands of members of the selling forces of gas utilities and other retail outlets of Servel, Inc., in all parts of the country are participating for awards, was well timed with the Christmas season forming part of the period in which the contest is being conducted," Mr. Becker stated.

"The constant increase of sales from year to year in the fall and winter is gratifying to our company because it shows the growth in 'all-year-round' refrigeration in the household.

"Once installed in the home Servel Electrolux begins to furnish a service for preserving foods, for making frozen desserts and providing ice cubes for cooling beverages that continues in every season.

"Servel Electrolux is famous as the refrigerator that has no moving parts in its freezing system, which accounts for its permanent silence, comparative freedom from repair, long years of service, and continued low operating costs."

Sound Guarantee Given By Terminix

No guarantee of termite control work is sounder than the integrity and financial responsibility behind that guarantee, warns H. C. Jamerson, manager of Terminix of Louisiana, with offices in the Bernhardt building here.

According to Mr. Jamerson, many property owners who have their buildings treated for termites by small, underfinanced concerns with little or no backing have unhappy experiences with the glowing, long-time guarantees these concerns give. When the time comes to carry out the terms of their guarantees, these concerns often have failed or have moved on to greener pastures.

Every customer of Terminix of Louisiana, Mr. Jamerson says, is given a five-year service contract with performance guaranteed by E. L. Bruce company, manufacturers of Terminix and world's largest maker of hardwood floorings. In addition, Bruce's guarantee is insured by Sun Insurance Office, Ltd. Thus the customer has triple protection; the integrity and responsibility of Terminix of Louisiana, the vast resources of E. L. Bruce company and Sun Insurance Office, Ltd., all standing behind this guaranty—representing a combined financial responsibility of over $40,000,000.

Approximately 50,000 service contracts have been issued by the 56 licensees that comprise the national Terminix organization, of which Terminix of Louisiana is the exclusive licensee in northern Louisiana. These contracts cover homes and buildings of every description which are successfully resisting termite attack with Bruce Terminix insulation.

Monroe Company Oldest Termite Firm In Section

The Monroe Exterminating company, under the management of Harry Schroeder, is the oldest termite control firm in this section. It is now in its sixth year of service.

Its termite control work has met the test of time, the true test of any termite treatment. The method of treating for termites, while being constantly improved, remains basically the same as that used at the outset by Monroe Exterminating company, namely, a combination of the wood pressure process and ground treatment. Rigid periodical inspections follow the treatment over a period of years to assure proper extermination.

Many of the customers of Monroe Exterminating company whose homes were treated five years ago are taking advantage of the renewal clause embodied in every contract. This clause provides that upon the expiration of the contract it may be renewed for 10 per cent of the contract price. The Monroe Exterminating company feels this is good business for both the customers and the firm.

In the course of its business, it has treated more than 50 houses for the largest utilities in this section, 20 large school buildings, several churches, numerous commercial structures and several hundred residences.

Monroe Exterminating company is licensed by the Louisiana department of agriculture and bonded by the Maryland Casualty company. This further assures customers of satisfactory contract performance.

If you think termites are attacking your home, call Monroe Exterminating company. The telephone number is 2670. If you have no termites, you'll feel better for knowing it; if you do, you should know it so as to halt further damage.

Monroe Exterminating company, the inspection service of which is free, is always glad to refer you to any of its customers for their testimony as to the quality of its work.

Spatafora's Has Christmas Gifts

You'll find gifts galore displayed at Spatafora's pharmacy, 801 DeSiard street, Monroe's most interesting drug store, from now until Christmas.

There you will find gifts for father or mother, for sister or brother, for sweetheart or beau—in fact, for everyone. There you will find domestic and imported liquors, perfumes, toilet articles, toilet sets, liquor sets, necktie and handkerchief sets, socks, stockings, a wide assortment of candies, face and dusting powder, compacts, pipes, tobacco, cigars, cigarettes, razors, shaving sets and innumerable other items.

Put Spatafora's pharmacy on your Christmas shopping list if you are interested—and surely you are—in Yuletide remembrances that are certain to please the recipients.

Fine liquors in gift packages—they are highly appreciated. So are candies in Christmas boxes, cigars, tobaccos and cigarettes in Yule packages. So are all the articles handled by Spatafora's pharmacy.

If you have a charge account at Spatafora's pharmacy, utilize it in your Christmas shopping. If you haven't a charge account and your credit rating is good, you would do well to establish one there.

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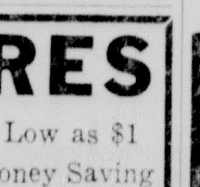

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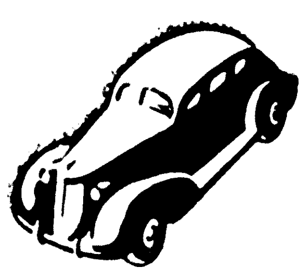

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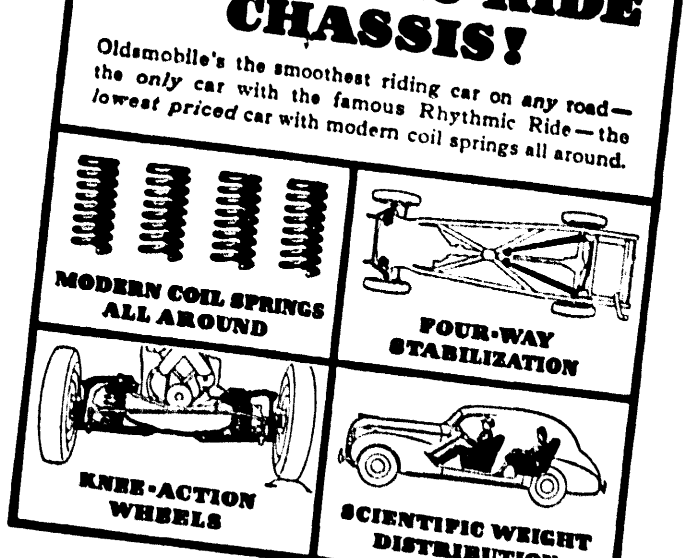

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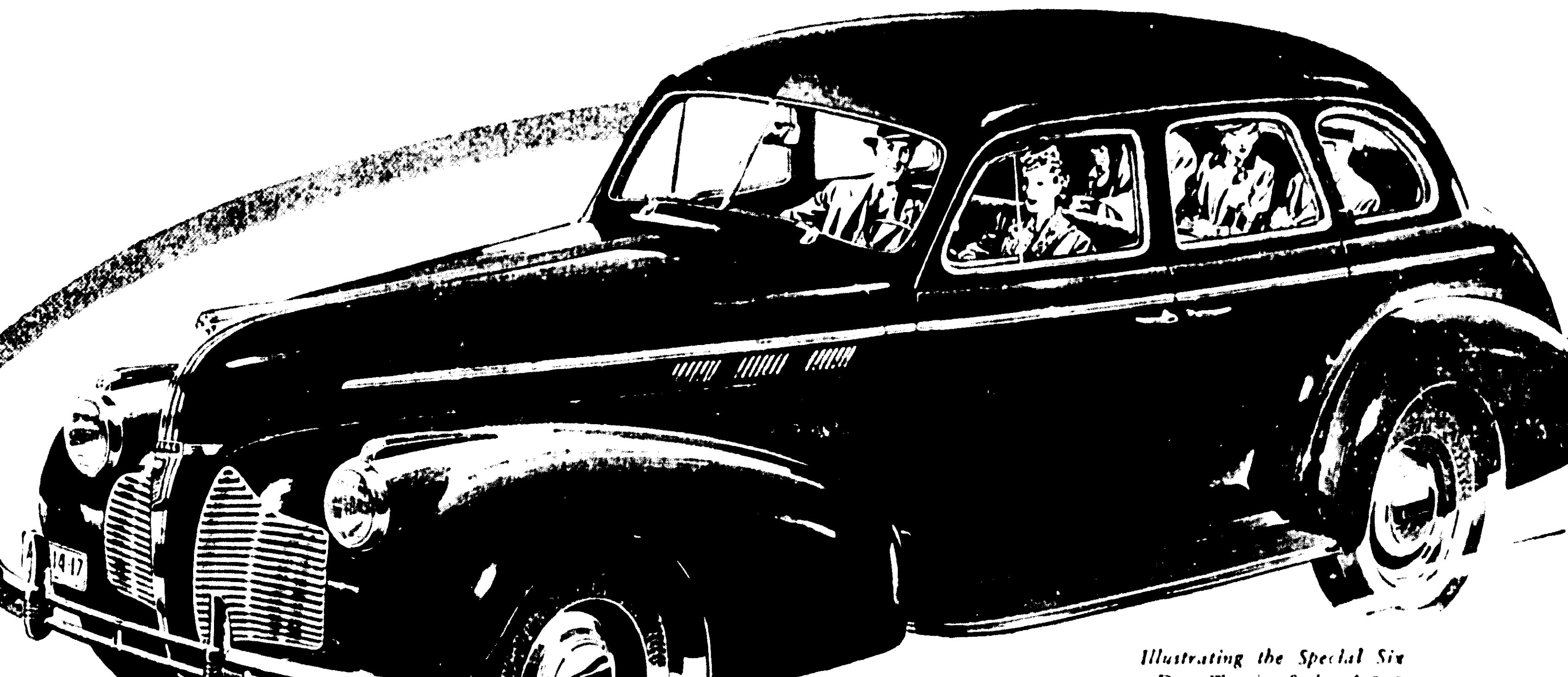

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Phoernell, 62, an infantry expert, as active commander-in-chief of all Swedish military forces.

Finland's case was taken up by the League of Nations council in a closed session in Geneva—and was passed on quickly to a full league assembly Monday.

Pressing their demand that Soviet Russia be expelled from the league as the aggressor against Finland, Argentina and her Latin American sister states were understood to have told the league it must choose between ejecting Russia or losing them as members.

Russia's representative did not attend the two council sessions yesterday.

In Europe's other war, the ferocity of the British-German attacks on each other's high seas life lines continued.

Four more ships, two British and two neutral, were lost and a British warship captured the German steamer, Henning Oldendorff, 3,469 tons.

The latest losses were:

The British 751-ton Corea, sunk by an explosion off England's east coast, with eight missing; the British 6,668-ton Brandon, torpedoed off England with nine dead; the Danish 2,400-ton Scotia, also sunk by an explosion in the North sea, with 21 dead; and the Norwegian 1,271-ton Gimle, an explosion victim, with three casualties.

The Henning Oldendorff raised to 19 the number of Nazi ships captured by the British since the war's start.

An indication of the increasing seriousness of the maritime struggle was given by Britain's call for volunteers from sailors and marines up to 46 years old.

On the western front, the day ran true to the form of recent weeks. The only action reported by the French high command was the repulse of a German raid and "patrols on either side."

Earlier yesterday, both the German and French commands told of patrol fighting on the front. The German morning communique said German shock troops destroyed a number of French dugouts—and the French said German patrols attacks in the area had been beaten off.

RUSSIANS WILL FIND TRAVELING DIFFICULT

By Lynn Heinzerling

WITH THE FINNISH ARMY ON THE KARELIAN FRONT, Dec. 9—(AP)—The Russian army, with artillery and tanks, pounded unsuccessfully today at this strongly held sector of the Finnish front.

Working feverishly to strengthen their already elaborate defense system, the Finns expressed confidence of ability to hold on indefinitely along this line, still well in advance of their main Mannerheim line.

(In Helsinki, heavy snowclouds enshrouded the capital from view of airmen. Workmen took advantage of the lull in military action to speed the construction of new civil guard headquarters. Full military censorship was decreed in accordance with the 1930 military law. Gasoline rationing was instituted and the sale of hay and oats restricted.)

With a half dozen other correspondents, I went through an almost incredible maze of barbed wire, tank traps, machine-gun nests, artillery emplacements and man-traps on the Finnish side.

At one time I could look across a snow-covered field and see the Russian lines a half mile away without being seen.

The Russians may find traveling a territory of ingeniously laid snares considerably more difficult than rolling into Poland, whatever their numbers.

The only roads through and around this checkerboard of forests, frozen lakes and great patches of bare rock wind so intricately that it is almost impossible for a stranger to keep his direction without a compass.

The Finns obviously intend to hang onto this sector well in advance of the Mannerheim line. They have criss-crossed forests with barbed wire running in all directions, laid mine traps for the wariest troops and generally set themselves up where they can attack the approaching Russians from the most unexpected directions.

New and larger Russian thrusts were expected but the Finns believed they could be thrown back, too.

Specially trained ski troops prepared for new combat. More Russian tanks were captured or destroyed. Finnish airmen reported that they were adding to the enemy's woes by flying over his lines at night and bombing his open campfires in the snow.

(News from other war fronts was fragmentary. Dispatches to Copenhagen said Russian warplanes had heavily bombed Hanko, Finnish coastal stronghold in the southwest, but dispatches from Helsinki failed to mention any such attack.

(Reports reaching Rome said the Finnish air force had raided Paldiski, the Estonian port which is serving Russia as an air and naval base for action against Finland. Helsinki has denied similar previous reports.

On the far northern front, said dispatches to London, white-clad Finnish ski troops hurled back the invaders on a two-mile front in a surprise attack.

(Finns were heartened by reports in Helsinki that 30 British Blenheim bombers had arrived to be added to the Finnish air force; already 50 Italian planes had been reported received. British firms arranged to send 60,000 gas masks to Finland.)

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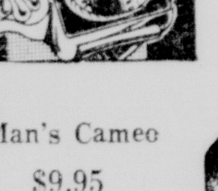

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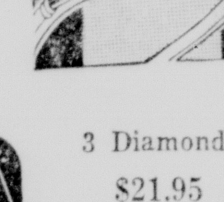

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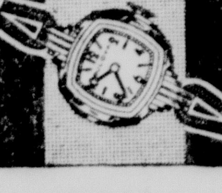

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The candidate said Earl Long fought Huey Long and at various times ridiculed United States Senators John Overton and Allen Ellender, both of whom are now campaigning for Long. He said the present governor's law partner is Shirley Wimberly, who was a bitter enemy of Huey Long and who wrote a book endeavoring to expose him.

Senator Noe ridiculed Long's "sympathies for the poor children" in providing hot lunches in the schools. He said Long waited until just before election time to provide the lunches and claimed that the state allotment is 61 cents per child for seven months. He said Long also planned to increase old-age pensions "two or three dollars" within a month of the primary in an effort to gain votes.

He said grand juries were throttled in Natchitoches and New Orleans, charging that the Natchitoches grand jury was prepared to investigate a theft of $200,000 from the Louisiana Normal college and that the New Orleans grand jury was prepared to indict Mayor Robert S. Maestri and Long when it was "called off."

Noe quoted from newspapers which carried statements of various other candidates that Noe was to be indicted. "They'll be carrying bulletins every 20 minutes on that just before the election," he added.

The candidate said there are "hundreds of deadheads in West Monroe and Monroe" and promised to "clean 'em out" if elected governor. He attacked the "42 per cent loan companies and said he would "run these Shylocks out of the state." He delivered his usual attack against the Monroe newspapers.

The senator opened his talk with an attack on former Representative W. C. Feazel. He termed Feazel a "slacker" and, telling of Feazel's association with Long and "that bunch of crooks," said "birds of a feather should flock together."

Senator Noe promised to repeal the sales tax and the "27 other taxes Dick Leche and Earl Long put on you two years ago"; a $30 per month old-age pension, $3 license fees for automobiles and $5,000 in homestead exemption.

In closing, the candidate predicted he would get 80 per cent of the votes in Ouachita parish.

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Goldsmith said he would fight any efforts of the chiropractor to make bond. He said he was prepared to file additional charges if necessary.

Dr. Welch, a heavy-set man of medium height and slightly bald, told officers he had paid his son, Calvert Welch, a visit at 7:15 the night of the kidnaping. The boy was abducted at 7 p.m. The chiropractor said he went for a ride "as is my custom" after leaving his son.

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DILLON RECEIVES TERM IN PRISON

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trial, it was in the procedure of the case, and his own error, not the jury's.

Included in the defense motion for a new trial for Dr. Dillon was an exception to the manner in which the jury returned the verdict. When Attorney Smith reasserted his objections that a written verdict was rendered and that the district attorney "had it destroyed," District Attorney Frank W. Hawthorne introduced evidence intended to clear the point.

Calling George H. Steele, foreman of the Dillon jury, to the witness chair, Mr. Hawthorne asked him to identify a piece of yellow paper pieced together with strips of transparent tape. Steele declared it to be the paper on which was written the actual verdict rendered in the case. He explained that the document was merely a memorandum which he had made for his own benefit in returning the verdict in the proper terms as instructed by the court and that it was not intended as a written verdict. The jury foreman said he tore the paper up himself and threw it down, not under anyone's instructions, but because he thought it was unnecessary.

Steele told the court that he was present in the jury box Friday morning when the jurors were polled and returned a unanimous verdict against the defendant.

WILL RELEASE WOMAN

HERNANDO, Miss., Dec. 9—(AP)—Sheriff A. S. Campbell said tonight he had detained a woman on suspicion that she was Winnie Ruth Judd, the mad fugitive from the Arizona insane hospital, but that he had now established otherwise and would release her tomorrow.

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In Monroe and West Monroe there are many little children who dream such dreams on Christmas eve, but awaken to find it was only a dream, that Christmas is just another cold day with little food, too little clothing and too little happiness.

But those tiny ones at least have their dreams. There are others, some of them older, who are at an early age forced into an understanding of their situation. They don't dream of happiness, of miracles, they wonder by what practical avenue the day's meal will come.

But, like all children, cherubic or underweight, snug and warm and secure or cold, hungry and fearful, they recognize Christmas as something special whether it comes to them or not.

As one little six-year-old girl a year ago expressed it, with a wistful though understanding smile: "Santa Claus only comes to children who live on Riverside drive—we live too far away and it's too cold for him to carry things way out here."

That little girl's parents stood near, their eyes reflecting the misery that no worry about the necessities of life could quite match—hearing their little daughter apologize bravely for Santa Claus.

They could explain a shortage of food, of clothing, for many little children understand those economic uncertainties that follow when Daddy is looking for a job. But to explain why old fellow like St. Nick has to pass by good little boys and girls is a problem no parent has been able to solve.

And the spirit of Christmas hovers over every home, palace, and tenement, castle and cottage, carrying with it those special hopes and dreams that are tucked away in the small corners of the heart to be brought forth at the holiday season.

To those who have the blessed assurance that their children's dreams will come true on Christmas day, who never have had to stand by silently and hear their sons and daughters or brothers and sisters speak a good word for the Santa Claus that can't come to their home, there is a still greater joy. There is also the privilege of holding out a friendly hand to those parents who do not know where to turn, of helping to lighten their burdens of care for at least one day of the year. There is the joy, the real joy, when they know on Christmas morning that they have helped to make it possible for all the children of the Twin Cities to awaken with a smile and find that their dreams have come true.

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Illustrative of the business carryover into the usually dull season preceding Christmas, the Associated Press index of industrial activity advanced to 110.9 per cent of the 1929-30 average, compared with 108.9 last week and 94.0 a year ago. It was the fastest rate since November, 1929.

Resumption of Chrysler operations caused a sharp increase in automobile output, which jumped to 115,488 units from 93,638 last week. Dealer's sales were reported heavy and Ward's automotive reports predicted the December production would be the second bes tfor the month in history, exceeded only by the final month of 1936.

Electric power production for the period ended December 2 was boosted considerably, almost touching the record peak set in October. Residential building improved against the seasonal trend and while railroad freight carloadings were interfered with by the second Thanksgiving holiday, they showed a rise of more than 12,000 cars.

Cotton textile mills with plenty of work on hand to carry them at a high rate through January, at least, stepped up their pace at a time of the year when operations usually slow down. Fear of higher cotton prices may have been a factor. Another explanation was that inasmuch as the British and French have bought up practically all the world's supply of burlap and burlap bags for use as sand bags, demand for heavy cotton cloths would be increased immensely.

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Early in January, clinics will be held similar to those of two years ago when members were called upon to give their suggestions as to the program that the chamber should initiate in the months ahead. Similar group meetings or clinics are planned for January so that the program can be revised to meet with the constantly changing conditions so that the organization can ever remain in the forefront of local progress.

The past year has been one of achievement and these things will be reviewed at the annual meeting. It is believed that the civic program that has been carried out the past year has been broader and more helpful than in years past, and that the results have been such as to fully justify the expenditure of time and money that has been required.

Mr. Gheen's topic on Friday night has not been announced, but it is known to be in a general way on the theme of community building. He was formerly a professor in a college in Boston, but his services are now being given entirely to the lecture platform and he is in great demand as humorist and philosopher who is said to be unsurpassed in the country. The fact that he is to speak here will, it is believed, attract an unusually large attendance at the dinner. Members of the Chamber of Commerce are specially invited to bring their wives or other lady friends as the address of the principal speaker will, it is said, be greatly appreciated by them.

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Military rites will be conducted at the grave for Holloway, who was a World war veteran.

Pallbearers for Holloway will be W. H. Linton, R. S. Sweatman, J. H. Cochran, George B. Franklin, J. M. Shamblin, A. J. Christmas, Gene Fairley and Wardell Vickers.

Strong's pallbearers will be Allen Buie, J. H. Wade, Clayton Grafton, O. J. Fuller, Torrence Kable, H. G. Cochran, Jr., and H. G. Cochran, Sr.

SALVAGE

RICHMOND, Va.—(AP)—Virginia county welfare departments have found a rich source of containers for preserved fruits and vegetables. Police departments have turned over hundreds of half-gallon jars—the famed containers of the south's illegal "moonshine liquor."

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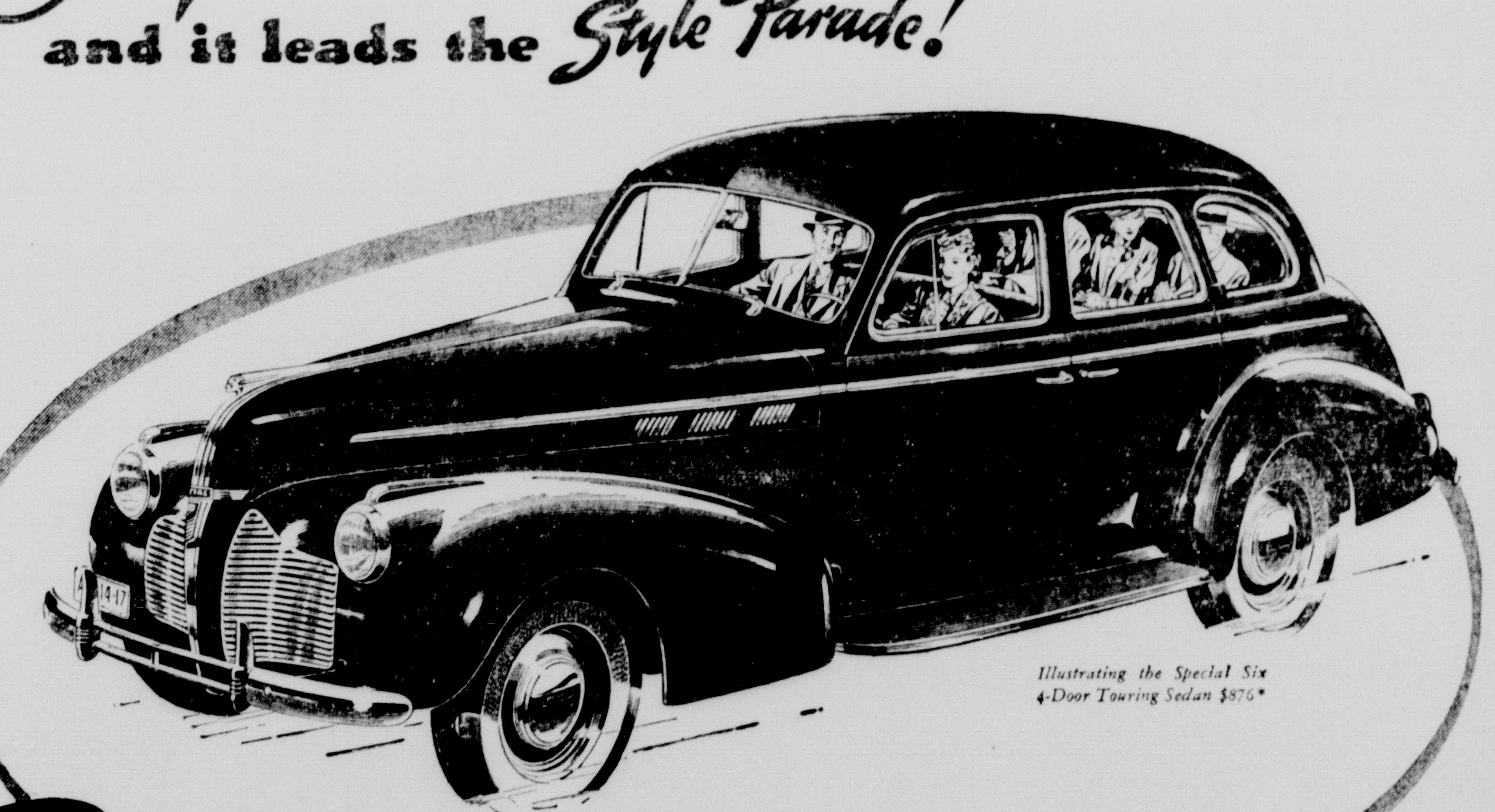

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Only one other major tilt was on the schedule today as the season dragged to a close. Southern Methodist conquered Rice, 13-6, to gain a tie with Baylor for second place in the Southwest conference. A blocked kick clinched the decision in the last quarter after the Rice Owls, pre-season favorites in the loop, had pushed the Mustangs all over the field only to fail when a goal-line punch was needed.

PRESENT PLANS TO KEEP TEXANS HOME

DALLAS, Tex., Dec. 9.—(AP)—A new Cotton Bowl directorate today secured the approval of the Southwest Athletic conference faculty committee of plans which may bring the conference champion here for the 1941 New Year's day football classic.

Conference school were given until February 1, 1940, to notify the conference whether they would guarantee delivery of their teams to the Cotton Bowl at the end of the seasons in which they won the conference title.

Unanimous approval by the seven schools is not necessary to put the plan in operation. Should several of them agree, the runner-up for the crown probably would be chosen as the Cotton Bowl team in years when a dissenting voter wound up on top of the standings.

The new board which made a vain effort to land Tennessee and A. and M. for the January 1, 1940 contest, will resume control of the Cotton Bowl Athletic association following the game between Clemson and Boston college. J. Curtis Sanford, founder of the game and member of the new board, is promoting the Clemson-Boston game alone.

Dr. Henry B. Trantham of Baylor university, president of the conference, said that a majority of the conference schools were known to be agreeable to such a commitment.

NO KICK ABOUT THIS BOY

Supporters of the New York Giants, pro eleven, have no complaints to make about the playing of Ward Cuff, who has consistently booted the Giants home to victory this season. The Giants place faith in his talented toe to down the Green Bay Packers in Milwaukee Sunday for the championship of the National Professional Football league. Cuff is as good a field goal specialist as they come.

Professional Teams Draft College Football Stars

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MILWAUKEE, Dec. 9.—(AP)—Professional football—1940 style—probably will be more of an aerial circus than ever before.

This was indicated as directors and club owners of the National Football league met today to select 1939's outstanding college players for their preferred negotiation lists.

Nine of the first 10 men selected are capable passers, several of them experts in the overhead game, but Nile Kinnick, Iowa's great passer, was not among them, probably in view of his statement he was not interested in pro ball.

The Chicago Cards, by virtue of their cellar position in the league, got first pick and they took Tennessee's George Cafego, a triple threat star hampered much of the past season by injuries.

Kinnick was drafted by Brooklyn on the second round of selections. However, the selection of so many passers and backs early in the meeting indicated the pro owners were getting even more offensively-minded than in the past season when nearly all scoring and ground-gaining records were shattered.

The draft meeting also brought forth the announcement that the Detroit Lions, consistently one of the top teams in the National league, was on the auction block.

Only one all-American player was selected among the first ten in the draft list. He was Banks McFadden, fleet Clemson halfback who was rated one of the greatest passers and runners of the Southern conference. Brooklyn got first chance to negotiate with him for a 1940 contract.

Clyde Turner, Hardin Simmons center, was the only lineman on the first ten. He was chosen by the Chicago Bears. Philadelphia drew George McAfee, Duke, as its first choice; Detroit selected Doyle Nave, of Southern California; Pittsburgh, Ray Eakin of Arkansas; and Cleveland, Ollie Cordill of Rice.

Others in the first ten were Ed Boell of New York university, drawn by Washington; Harold Van Every, Minnesota, taken by Green Bay; and Grenville Lansdell of Southern California, chosen by New York.

Among other players drafted, by clubs: Philadelphia Eagles, Boll Schneller, Mississippi back; Chicago Bears, Ken Kavanaugh, L. S. U. end; Pittsburgh, Ralph Wenzel, Tulane end; Cleveland, Shag Goolsby, Mississippi State center; Jack Nix, Mississippi State back; Washington Redskins, Merton Banker, Tulane back, Bill Kirchem, Tulane tackle; Green Bay Packers, Millard White, Tulane tackle.

FIFTEEN GAMES ON LIONS' CARD

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Eight games are slated to be played here in the Ouachita gymnasium, and the other seven will be played away from home.

The Lions also plan to take part in two tournaments, Coach Hartman stated. They will participate in the annual Northeast Center of L. S. U. invitational tournament and the north Louisiana championship games at Ruston, both meets to be held in February.

The home schedule is as follows: December 15, Hamburg, Ark.; January 3, Epps; January 10, Jonesboro-Hodge (tentative); January 16, Ansley; January 19, Bolton of Alexandria; February 2, Byrd of Shreveport; February 15, Columbia; and February [illegible], Bastrop.

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The Lions suffered their first defeat of the season Friday night at Ansley when the powerful Ansley aggregation, winner of the boys' division of the Northeast Center tournament last year, trounced the locals, 33 to 15.

Ansley, with only one member of the last season quintet that won the tourney here missing from the lineup, took the lead from the start and was never headed. The first quarter ended 8-to-0 for Ansley; the half score was 19-to-8 for the victors.

The invasion of Ansley was the locals' first game away from home for the season. The Lions had previously beaten Calhoun, 19 to 13, and Oak Ridge, 23 to 21.

Coach Hartman has only three members of his 1938-39 team back this season. They are Dean Fields, Francis Whitlock and "Cotton" Hall. However, the new additions, Nelson Abell, Doug Hinton and Bob Kilpatrick have been looking good and Coach Hartman expects to have a good combination before the season gets much older.

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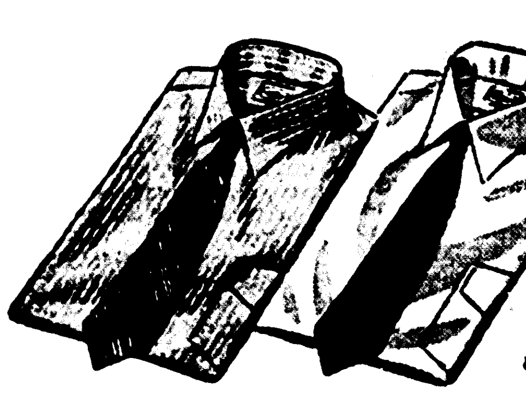

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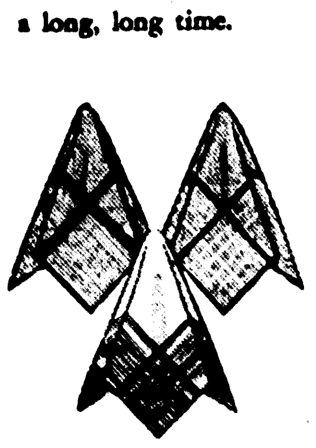

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The victory left the Volunteers sharing Southeastern conference honors with two other bowl-bound teams, Tulane and Georgia Tech. None was beaten in the circuit. Tulane will play Texas A. and M., Southwest conference champion, in the Sugar bowl at New Orleans New Year's day, while Georgia Tech will meet Missouri, kingpin of the Big Six, in the Orange bowl at Miami. The other main "bowl" games January 1 will pit Boston college against Clemson in the Dallas Cotton bowl and Arizona State of Tempe against Catholic university in the Sun Bowl at El Paso, Tex.

Only one other major tilt was on the schedule today as the season dragged to a close. Southern Methodist conquered Rice, 13-6, to gain a tie with Baylor for second place in the Southwest conference. A blocked kick clinched the decision in the last quarter after the Rice Owls, pre-season favorites in the loop, had pushed the Mustangs all over the field only to fail when a goal-line punch was needed.

PRESENT PLANS TO KEEP TEXANS HOME

DALLAS, Tex., Dec. 9.—(AP)—A new Cotton Bowl directorate today secured the approval of the Southwest Athletic conference faculty committee of plans which may bring the conference champion here for the 1941 New Year's day football classic.

Conference school were given until February 1, 1940, to notify the conference whether they would guarantee delivery of their teams to the Cotton Bowl at the end of the seasons in which they won the conference title.

Unanimous approval by the seven schools is not necessary to put the plan in operation. Should several of them agree, the runner-up for the crown probably would be chosen as the Cotton Bowl team in years when a dissenting voter wound up on top of the standings.

The new board which made a vain effort to land Tennessee and A. and M. for the January 1, 1940 contest, will resume control of the Cotton Bowl Athletic association following the game between Clemson and Boston college. J. Curtis Sanford, founder of the game and member of the new board, is promoting the Clemson-Boston game alone.

Dr. Henry B. Trantham of Baylor university, president of the conference, said that a majority of the conference schools were known to be agreeable to such a commitment.

NO KICK ABOUT THIS BOY

Supporters of the New York Giants, pro eleven, have no complaints to make about the playing of Ward Cuff, who has consistently booted the Giants home to victory this season. The Giants place faith in his talented toe to down the Green Bay Packers in Milwaukee Sunday for the championship of the National Professional Football league. Cuff is as good a field goal specialist as they come.

Professional Teams Draft College Football Stars

McFadden Only All-American On Pros' List Of 10 Favorites

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 9.—(AP)—Professional football—1940 style—probably will be more of an aerial circus than ever before.

This was indicated as directors and club owners of the National Football league met today to select 1939's outstanding college players for their preferred negotiation lists.

Nine of the first 10 men selected are capable passers, several of them experts in the overhead game, but, Nile Kinnick, Iowa's great passer, was not among them, probably in view of his statement he was not interested in pro ball.

The Chicago Cards, by virtue of their cellar position in the league, got first pick and they took Tennessee's George Cafego, a triple threat star hampered much of the past season by injuries.

Kinnick was drafted by Brooklyn on the second round of selections. However, the selection of so many passers and backs early in the meeting indicated the pro owners were getting even more offensively-minded than in the past season when nearly all scoring and ground-gaining records were shattered.

The draft meeting also brought forth the announcement that the Detroit Lions, consistently one of the top teams in the National league, was on the auction block.

Only one all-American player was selected among the first ten in the draft list. He was Banks McFadden, fleet Clemson halfback who was rated one of the greatest passers and runners of the Southern conference. Brooklyn got first chance to negotiate with him for a 1940 contract.

Clyde Turner, Hardin Simmons center, was the only lineman on the first ten. He was chosen by the Chicago Bears. Philadelphia drew George McAfee, Duke, as its first choice; Detroit selected Doyle Nave, of Southern California; Pittsburgh, Ray Eakin of Arkansas; and Cleveland, Ollie Cordill of Rice.

Others in the first ten were Ed Boell of New York university, drawn by Washington; Harold Van Every, Minnesota, taken by Green Bay; and Grenville Lansdell of Southern California, chosen by New York.

Among other players drafted, by clubs. Philadelphia Eagles, Boll Schneller, Mississippi back; Chicago Bears, Ken Kavanaugh, L. S. U. end; Pittsburgh, Ralph Wenzel, Tulane end; Cleveland, Shag Goolsby, Mississippi State center; Jack Nix, Mississippi State back; Washington Redskins, Merton Banker, Tulane back, Bill Kirchem, Tulane tackle; Green Bay Packers, Millard White, Tulane tackle.

FIFTEEN GAMES ON LIONS' CARD

Ouachita High Basketeers Have Eight Home Contests Remaining

Coach Leo Hartman last night announced a 15-game schedule for his Ouachita Parish High school cagers in addition to three games the Lions already have played.

Eight games are slated to be played here in the Ouachita gymnasium, and the other seven will be played away from home.

The Lions also plan to take part in two tournaments, Coach Hartman stated. They will participate in the annual Northeast Center of L. S. U. invitational tournament and the north Louisiana championship games at Ruston, both meets to be held in February.

The home schedule is as follows:

December 15, Hamburg, Ark.; January 3, Epps; January 10, Jonesboro-Hodge (tentative); January 16, Ansley; January 19, Bolton of Alexandria; February 2, Byrd of Shreveport; February 15, Columbia; and February 16, Bastrop.

Games on the road will be as follows:

December 13, Bastrop; December 19, Jonesboro-Hodge (tentative); January 5, Bolton at Alexandria; January 12, Byrd at Shreveport; January 30, Epps; February 6, Hamburg, Ark.; and February 8, Columbia.

Coach Hartman said there might be some changes in the dates of later games to conform with dates of the Northeast Center tournament which have not been set. He said it was also probable that another game would be played with Calhoun and Oak Ridge, two teams already beaten by the locals.

The Lions suffered their first defeat of the season Friday night at Ansley when the powerful Ansley aggregation, winner of the boys' division of the Northeast Center tournament last year, trounced the locals, 33 to 15.

Ansley, with only one member of the last season quintet that won the tourney here missing from the lineup, took the lead from the start and was never headed. The first quarter ended 8-to-0 for Ansley; the half score was 19-to-8 for the victors.

The invasion of Ansley was the locals' first game away from home for the season. The Lions had previously beaten Calhoun, 19 to 13; and Oak Ridge, 23 to 21.

Coach Hartman has only three members of his 1938-39 team back this season. They are Dean Fields, Francis Whitlock and "Cotton" Hall. However, the new additions, Nelson Abell, Doug Hinton and Bob Kilpatrick have been looking good and Coach Hartman expects to have a good combination before the season gets much older.

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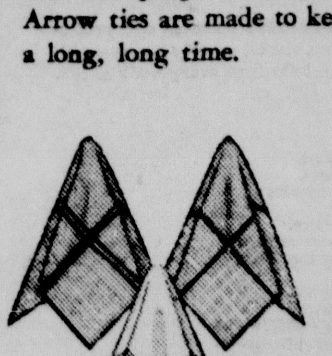

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Tuesday Mat Card Promises Show Of Wrestling Science

Parker To Meet McGee; Burns And Ludwig In Return Match

Promoter Gus Kallio last night announced Allen Parker would meet Irish McGee in the semi-final event of the mat program at the Monroe Wrestling arena Tuesday night. The signing of Parker completes the card, the final event go between Otto Ludwig and Cyclone Burns having been previously announced.

McGee will be making his first appearance here in a wrestling role, [illegible]

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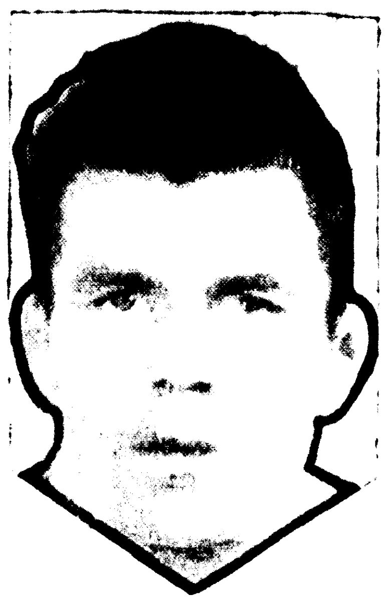

TOWROPE WINS BY NOSE IN MEMORIAL HANDICAP

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BATON ROUGE AND PINE BLUFF NAMED OPPONENTS

BATON ROUGE, La., Dec. 9—(AP)—Baton Rouge High school has been selected to meet Pine Bluff High of Pine Bluff, Ark., December 30 at the [illegible] Louisiana State university stadium in a game advertised as a "national championship" contest.

The announcement was made early tonight by the Louisiana Sports association after many hours of deliberation. The Pine Bluff Zebras, the outstanding squad in Arkansas and a former claimant of the national high school championship, was chosen this afternoon and a few hours later Baton Rouge High was named as its opponent.

Coach O. M. Helveston of Baton Rouge High tonight formally accepted the sports association's bid to the game.

NIX JOINS GRAYS

STARKVILLE, Miss., Dec. 9—(AP)—Jack Nix, Mississippi State senior halfback, today accepted an invitation to play the Blue-Gray football game at Montgomery, Ala., December 30.

CLEMSON, EAGLES IN COTTON BOWL

Southern Loop Votes To Permit Tigers' Appearance In Dallas

DALLAS, Tex., Dec. 9—(AP)—Clemson [illegible] Southern conference [illegible] Cotton Bowl [illegible]

Arrangements were completed [illegible]

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CLEMSON OVERJOYED AT BID TO PLAY IN COTTON BOWL GAME

CLEMSON, S. C., Dec. 9—(AP)—Picture a student body of 2,200 that believes in Santa Claus all over again, a football team that wept at the chance to play together once more and a Southern conference basketball team that joyfully sacrificed its greatest individual star, Banks McFadden.

There you have a picture of Clemson college upon acceptance of the Cotton Bowl football bid. Now for a panoramic view, add a somewhat dazed staff of coaching assistants, basketball coaches who have four important court games scheduled before January 2, and a publicity man with the jitters and every pocket crammed with telegraphic orders.

The players themselves are dancing [illegible]

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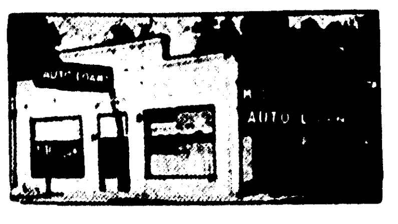

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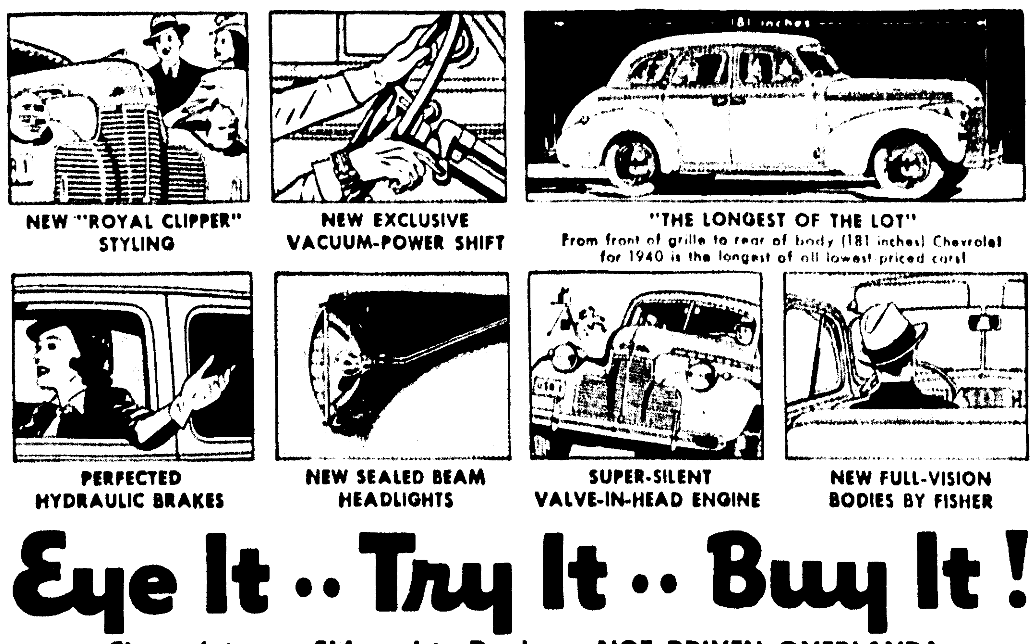

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Southern Cal Has Two Ties In Conference To Bruins' Three

By Robert Myers

MEMORIAL COLISEUM, LOS ANGELES, Dec. 9.—(AP)—The University of California at Los Angeles all but wrecked the Southern California Rose Bowl special today, but the cardinal and gold of Troy moved on to the Pasadena post-season classic after a furious two-hour battle with the Uclans that ended in a scoreless tie.

The result left the University of Southern California with two ties against its record, and the Bruins of U. C. L. A. with three in Pacific coast conference play and one outside battle.

The formality of the conference naming U. S. C. as its representative in the Rose Bowl was to be attended to later.

A record-breaking crowd of 103,300 spectators, the most who ever saw a football game west of the Mississippi, watched the two home-town adversaries struggle on near-even terms throughout the game.

The favored Trojan machine, geared for an uninterrupted march to the Rose Bowl for the second straight year, made one mighty scoring effort in the first period, and the puissant blue of U. C. L. A. brought the roaring crowd to its feet with a 78-yard thrust in the final quarter.

The Trojans made 11 first downs and the Uclans, with Halfback Kenny Washington turning in a brilliant 60 minute game, had ten. S. C. had an edge in yards gained, but the Trojans found a line as big and as tought as their own in this Bruin forward wall.

The Trojan powerhouse started off with a bang. With Quarterback Grenville Lansdell in the driver's seat, S. C. moved inside the Uclan 25-yard stripe. U. C. L. A. held for downs, took over on its own 22—and then Washington fumbled on the 28.

Bob Peoples made five, Lansdell passed for four, and soon Peoples banged his way to the Bruin 11. Lansdell then took the ball, crashed over the battered right side of the Bruin line and as he reached the five he was tackled from behind. The ball flew out of his hands and over the goal line. That was the only scoring threat of an S. C. team figured to down the Bruins by a convincing margin.

The second and third periods rattled off quickly, but neither squad could get into scoring position.

Late in the last frame, after Doyle Nave had maneuvered the Trojans into Bruin territory, the U. C. L. A. lads took the ball on their own 20.

Jackie Robinson, Washington's halfback teammate, reeled off 13 and Kenny added 10 more. Fullback Leo Cantor added a yard and the Bruins crossed the midfield stripe, on Washington's 18-yard pass to End Don MacPherson.

Washington added 12 yards with another flip to Robinson, and from the 20 passed to Strode for five and first down. Another pass went for five, to Ned Mathews, and Washington went through for three to the Trojan seven. Cantor barged over the Trojan right tackle for four, and Cantor carried it to the two. Here the Trojans fought off the thrust. Washington was stopped cold and Cantor was knocked back to the four. On fourth down, Washington's pass over the goal line was knocked down by Bob Robertson, Southern California halfback.

In the dying moments of the game the Uclans came back across the neutral stripe, but a desperate pass by Washington was intercepted and the game ended soon after.

Southern California went into the game with victories over Notre Dame, Illinois and five conference foes, and a 7-7 tie with Oregon. The U. C. L. A. eleven boasted victories over Texas Christian in a non-conference game, and triumphs over five conference rivals, but three ties marred its record—Stanford and Oregon State, in the conference, and Santa Clara.

Lineups and summary:

Southern Calif.	Pos.	U. C. L. A.
Fisk	LE	Strode
Stoecker	LT	Lyman
Smith	LG	Sommers
Dempsey	C	Mathewson
Sohn	RG	Frawley
Gasper	RT	Zarubica
Winslow	RE	MacPherson
Lansdell	QB	Mathews
Hoffman	LH	Washington
Robertson	RH	Robinson
Peoples	FB	Overlin

Score by periods:

U. S. C.	0	0	0	0	—0
U. C. L. A.	0	0	0	0	—0

Substitutions: U. S. C.—Ends, Jones, Krueger; tackles, Stonebraker, Benson; guards, Thomassin, Phillips; center, Morrill; backs, Banta, Schindler, Nave, Engle, Bundy, Sangster. U. C. L. A.—Ends, Simpson, Cascales, Jones, Bartlett; tackles, Dyie, Cohen, Hill; guards, Kyzivat, Defrancisco, Ruettgers; center, Alder; backs, Cantor, Hesse, Fenebock.

Referee, Bobby Morris (Kansas); umpire, Verne Landreth (Friends college) head linesman, Ralph Coleman (Oergon State); field judge, L. G. Conlon (St. Mary's).

STATISTICS

	U.S.C.	U.C.L.A.
First Downs	11	10
Yds. gained by rushing	183	89
Forward pass attempts	11	18
Passes completed	5	7
Yards gained by passes	39	72
Yards lost by passing	0	0
Passes intercepted	1	1
Yards gained, runback intercepted passes	4	1
Punting average (from scrimmage)	33	34.3
x Total yards, kicks returned	52	68
Opponents' fumbles recovered	1	1
Yards lost by penalties	20	0

x Includes kickoffs and punts.

SICILY ISLAND TOURNEY WILL BEGIN JANUARY 12

SICILY ISLAND, La., Dec. 9.—(Special)—The annual Sicily Island High school basketball tournament for senior boys and girls will be held at the school gymnasium here on January 12 and 13, according to an announcement by C. B. Coney, principal.

The tourney last season drew 46 teams and another large entry is expected for the coming meet. Invitations already have been extended to all teams in this section. Entries or requests for information concerning the meet should be addressed to Principal Coney here.

Trophies will be awarded first and second place teams in each division. Duplicate trophies will be available for girls' teams should the final end in a tie.

Drawings will take place on January 8 and each team promptly notified of its playing time.

Competent officials have been secured to conduct the games.

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Coach M. A. Phillips' Trojans won their way into the title game by eliminating the Bastrop Rams, 13 to 12, in a playoff game here last night.

The odds will be decidedly against the Tallulah eleven this week-end, however, as the Pelicans are considered as having one of the best high school teams in north Louisiana, regardless of class. Homer lost only one game during the entire season and that was to the Fair Park Indians of Shreveport, north Louisiana Class AA champions. Fair Park stopped Homer in the non-conference clash only 6-to-0.

The impressive Pelican record for the season includes a 13-to-6 victory over the double A Byrd Yellow Jackets of Shreveport, and a 14-to-0 win over the Ouachita Lions of Monroe, another Class AA outfit. Other than the Fair Park defeat, the only blot on the Homer schedule is a scoreless tie with Minden, strong Class A team, but the Pels were given the nod over Minden by virtue of most first downs.

The winner of the Tallulah-Homer game will meet the victor of the Plaquemine-DeRidder game for the state Class A title. Plaquemine and DeRidder will meet next week, probably Friday.

Officials for the game here have already been selected. They will be "Lefty" Haynes (Tulane), referee; Hal Willis (La. Tech), umpire; Mack Avants (Tulane), head linesman; and Godfrey Fleischman (Michigan), field judge.

The Trojans came out of the Bastrop game bruised and battered, but Coach Phillips expects to have them all ready to go against the invading Pels.

Billy Boswell, tackle, Bud Kyzar, guard, and Eula Lancaster, quarterback, suffered most severely at the hands of the Rams, but their injuries are not expected to keep them out of action Friday.

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Tuesday Mat Card Promises Show Of Wrestling Science

Parker To Meet McGee; Burns And Ludwig In Return Match

Promoter Gus Kallio last night announced Allen Parker would meet Irish McGee in the semi-final event of the mat program at the Monroe Wrestling arena Tuesday night. The signing of Parker completes the card, the final event go between Otto Ludwig and Cyclone Burns having been previously announced.

McGee will be making his first appearance here in a wrestling role, although he has demonstrated a thorough knowledge of the mat game as referee of several programs in the local arena.

Parker showed his wares last week by taking Sailor Watkins into camp. The Nashville, Tenn., wrestler puts up a fast game and showed plenty of science in subduing Watkins.

The contest will be for the best two out of three falls with a 45-minute time limit.

The main event is a return match between Burns and Ludwig, who wrestled to a draw in their only appearance here. In that match, which was the first showing of Burns before local fans, Ludwig cut loose with the best wrestling he has displayed here and matched the speedy assault of the Detroit grappler.

Both grapplers are highly popular with local fans and each has one leg on the trophy offered as the prize in the present popularity contest under way at the arena.

The complete card promises a show of mat science seldom witnessed by local followers of the sport, with the decision in each match likely to fall either way. The main event, which will go on last, will have a 90-minute time limit on the best two out of three falls.

The fourth voting in the contest to determine the wrestler—next to Watkins—most popular with Monroe fans will be held Tuesday night. Watkins, by virtue of winning the first of such contests, is ineligible for the present voting. Those who have won a leg on the prize, a trophy donated by the R. and A. Jewelry company of Monroe, offered in the contest are Burns, Ludwig and Jack Curtis. Each must win the vote two more times before gaining permanent possession of the trophy.

Eligible in the contest are the following: Burns, Ludwig, Curtis, Parker, Sailor Moran, Joe Banaski, Joe Parelli, the Wrestling Shadow, Otto Ludwig, Dick Sampson, Chuck Powell, Carlos Ramos, Yaqui Joe, Dutch Schultz, Al Perry, Frankie Hill, Roy Reynolds and McGee, with his match Tuesday night.

Promoter Kallio announced all seats would go for general admission price Tuesday night and that the first 25 small boys to present themselves at the ticket office would get in for ten cents. The semi-final event will begin at 8:30 o'clock.

BATON ROUGE AND PINE BLUFF NAMED OPPONENTS

BATON ROUGE, La., Dec. 9.—(AP)—Baton Rouge High school has been selected to meet Pine Bluff High of Pine Bluff, Ark., December 30 at the giant Louisiana State university stadium in a game advertised as a "national championship" contest.

The announcement was made early tonight by the Louisiana Sports association after many hours of deliberation. The Pine Bluff Zebras, the outstanding squad in Arkansas and a former claimant of the national high school championship, was chosen this afternoon and a few hours later Baton Rouge High was named as its opponent.

Coach O. M. Helveston of Baton Rouge High tonight formally accepted the sports association's bid to the game.

NIX JOINS GRAYS

STARKVILLE, Miss., Dec. 9.—(AP)—Jack Nix, Mississippi State senior halfback, today accepted an invitation to play the Blue-Gray football game at Montgomery, Ala., December 30.

IN SEMIFINAL

Allen Parker, Nashville, Tenn., junior light-heavy matman shown above, will meet Irish McGee in the semi-final event at the Monroe Wrestling arena Tuesday night. Parker defeated Sailor Watkins last week in his first showing here.

TOWROPE WINS BY NOSE IN MEMORIAL HANDICAP

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 9.—(AP)—Towrope, Mrs. Sam Orr's 4-year-old gelding, won the Joseph Cattarinich Memorial handicap at the fair grounds here today by a nose from Waxwing.

The winner negotiated the mile and sixteenth in 1:45:3 and paid a $12.40 mutuel for $2.

Jockey W. L. Taylor kept Waxwing in front all the way except for the last few jumps when Jockey Carol Bierman booted the son of Martis home in front.

War Minstrel, favored to win the first running of the race named in honor of Cattarinich, a fair grounds owner who died almost a year ago, closed at 11 to 10 and was beaten for first money by only a quarter of a length.

The race, one of the best of the season here, marked the 10th triumph for Towrope.

CLEMSON, EAGLES IN COTTON BOWL

Southern Loop Votes To Permit Tigers' Appearance In Dallas

DALLAS, Tex., Dec. 9.—(AP)—Clemson college, co-chairman of the Southern conference, will play host in Dallas' Cotton Bowl grid classic to Boston college, an eastern power.

Arrangements were completed today after the Southern conference voted unanimously to permit Clemson's appearance in Dallas.

J. Curtis Sanford, director of the four-year-old Cotton Bowl game, started laying plans to educate Texans on the merits of South Carolina and Massachusetts football.

Both teams lost only one game over a ten-game schedule, Clemson, boasting Banks McFadden, all-America halfback, dropping a chiller to mighty Tulane, 6-7, and Boston taking an early season upset from Florida, 0-7.

The southerners were chosen from a big three consisting of Duquesne, undefeated; Mississippi State and Clemson. The Dukes inferred they could not get together with Cotton Bowl officials on arrangements for the game.

Clemson, incidentally, was strongly considered last year as a possible opponent of Texas Tech before the St. Mary's Gaels of the Pacific coast were finally signed.

Sanford said no word had been received from either school as to when it will arrive in Dallas for final training. The game will be New Year's day.

PRAISES CLEMSON

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—(AP)—Frank Leahy, Boston college's "freshman" coach whose team will play Clemson in the Cotton Bowl at Dallas, Tex., January 1, today praised the Tigers as a "tough opponent."

Here to attend the presentation of the Jacob Ruppert memorial award as "coach of the year" to Dr. Eddie Anderson of Iowa, Leahy admitted he didn't know a great deal about Clemson, but from all he had heard he believed the southern college would be "a tough opponent and one which we will respect greatly."

By way of explanation he added, "Any team that can hold Tulane to a 7-6 score must be a great team."

CLEMSON OVERJOYED AT BID TO PLAY IN COTTON BOWL GAME

CLEMSON, S. C., Dec. 9.—(AP)—Picture a student body of 2,200 that believes in Santa Claus all over again, a football team that wept at the chance to play together once more, and a Southern conference basketball team that joyfully sacrificed its greatest individual star, Banks McFadden.

There you have a picture of Clemson college upon acceptance of the Cotton Bowl football bid. Now for a panoramic view, add a somewhat dazed staff of coaching assistants, basketball coaches who have four important court games scheduled before January 2, and a publicity man with the jitters and every pocket crammed with telegraphic orders.

The players themselves are dancing jubilantly through quickly organized practices that had them back in uniform, after a two weeks' layoff, two hours after the invitation was accepted yesterday. "We should have been playing the game yesterday," End Coach Joe Davis remarked; "I never saw a crowd of boys so pepped up over anything."

"Boy, it's most too good to be true," yelled Captain Joe Payne.

"It is the finest graduation present I could possibly have," admitted the all-America McFadden.

There was talk of a "Clemson special" originating in Greenville and gathering fans from every corner of the state, but the rapidity with which the invitation and acceptance came precluded definite arrangements this early.

Head Coach Jess Neely is away from the campus, attending the Southern conference meeting in Roanoke, Va., and everything hereabouts is at an excited standstill until his return.

ANNOUNCES NEW MAT TITLE PLAN

Kallio Heads Move To Bring Junior Crown To United States

In an effort to bring championship wrestling in the junior light-heavyweight class to the United States—and to Monroe in particular—Promoter Gus Kallio last night announced preliminary plans for an elimination contest to determine the "Junior Light-Heavyweight Wrestling Champion of the United States."

The title, a new one, will be used, Promoter Kallio stated, to distinguish the American titlist from the holder of the world's title in the division, Carlos Ramos of Mexico. The Mexican, who appeared in the local arena several weeks ago, refuses to defend his crown in the states.

Under the plan for the new title, details of which will be announced later, Promoter Kallio, who still is recognized as middleweight champion of the world by the national wrestling and boxing associations, will claim the championship. In order to start the ball rolling, Kallio, who is acclaimed the greatest middleweight of all time, is the logical man to first hold the title and give other junior light-heavies something to shoot at.

The first of a series of elimination contests to determine the logical challenger for the crown will be held in the local arena, and it is expected junior light-heavyweight wrestlers throughout the nation will quickly set their sights on the championship.

As soon as a logical contender for the title appears, Kallio will give him a shot at the crown. A title which they will have an opportunity to hold

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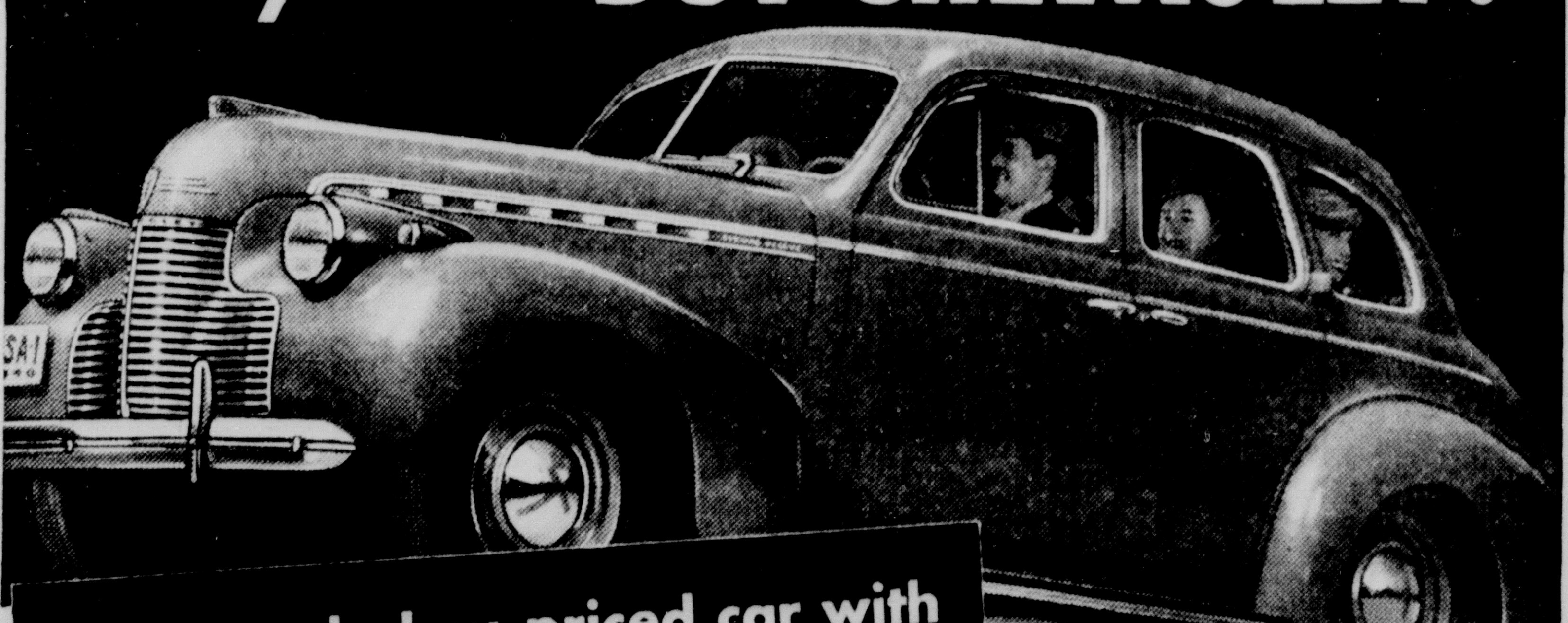

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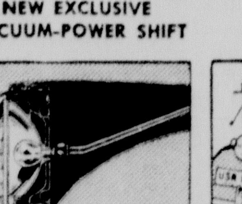
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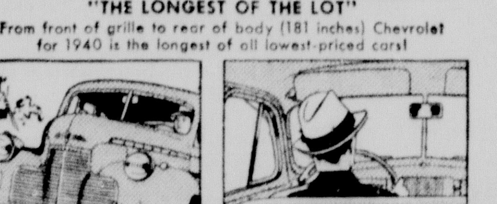

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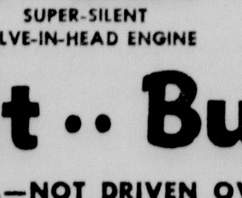
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SOUTHERN CAL PICKED FOR ROSE BOWL GAME

Plans For Class B Title Contest To Be Made Today

CONFERENCE HEAD DECLARES TROJAN VOTE 'DECISIVE'

Pacific Coast Selection Will Invite Team As Opponent

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 9—(AP)—Tennessee and Southern California will clash in the twenty-fifth consecutive Rose bowl football game January 1.

Director of Athletics Willis O. Hunter of U. S. C. announced formally tonight that undefeated, untied and unscored upon Tennessee had accepted an invitation to meet the twice tied Trojans in the Pasadena post season classic.

The coveted bid and acceptance were consummated within a short time after the Pacific Coast conference had notified U. S. C. it had been named as the host school for the big game.

Tennessee's selection came as no surprise.

CORVALLIS, Ore., Dec. 9—(AP)—[illegible] Southern California was picked [illegible] Pacific Coast conference members [illegible] an eastern representative [illegible] Rose bowl on January [illegible].

[illegible] C. V. Ruzek [illegible]

[illegible] Southern California [illegible] the second [illegible]. The Trojans previously defeated Penn State at Pasadena in 1923, Pittsburgh in 1930, Tulane in 1932, Pittsburgh in 1933 and Duke January 2 of ths year. They have never lost a Rose bowl game.

The U. S. C. squad of this season was tied twice, by Oregon in its first game of the season, 7-7, and by U. C. L. A. today in its last, 0-0. Between those deadlocks the Trojans won seven games. U. C. L. A., only possible disputant of Troy's right to the bowl selection, was undefeated but had been tied three times in the conference and once outside.

LISBON, JUNCTION CITY CAGERS LEAD

BERNICE, La., Dec. 9—(Special)—The Lisbon High school girls and the Junction City High school boys took the lead in the Tri-Parish Basketball league the past week, both teams having chalked up two victories against no defeats.

The Bernice and Hico boys' teams are also unbeaten but have won only one game.

GIRLS' DIVISION

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Lisbon	2	0	1.000
Summerfield	1	1	.500
Junction City	1	1	.500
Hico	0	1	.000
Bernice	0	1	.000

BOYS' DIVISION

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Junction City	2	0	1.000
Bernice	1	0	1.000
Hico	1	0	1.000
Summerfield	0	2	.000
Lisbon	0	2	.000

Games on Tuesday of next week find the boys' and girls' teams of Bernice at Junction City and Lisbon's aggregations at Hico. Summerfield teams have an open date.

CLARKS TO MEET KENTWOOD SQUAD IN FINAL BATTLE

Committee Will Meet To Decide Place And Date Of Crown Tilt

Plans for the Kentwood-Clarks battle for the Class B football championship of the state will be made today at a meeting of the Class B committees of the northeast and southeast conferences at Alexandria.

In all probability the game will be played next Friday, according to G. S. Manning, chairman of the northeast district committee, but the place for the game will be the main topic of today's discussion.

The Lumberjacks, who won the northeast district crowd two weeks ago by nosing out Lake Providence, 14 to 13, battled their way to a 12-to-0 victory over the Oil City Oilers here Friday night to cop the north Louisiana title.

While the Lumberjacks were eliminating Oil City, the Kentwood aggregation was trouncing Landry Memorial of Lake Charles, 15 to 6, to win the south Louisiana crown nand the right to meet Clarks.

Coach Dudley Fulton displayed a stellar aggregation here Friday in the Oil City game, and the Lumberjacks should be able to bring Caldwell parish its second championship in three years. However, little is known of the Kentwood team in this section, and the southern champions may prove plenty tough.

Although the Jacks scored only two touchdowns in trimming the Oilers, they showed a world of power in chalking up 18 first downs with five backs sharing in the offensive chores. Ernest Meredith, Eldridge Loflin and E. Stringer turned in most of Clarks' gains although Halfback Carroll and Leon Aldrich also figured in the victory.

The big Clarks line looked best rushing Oil City passers and punters but played an outstanding game otherwise, with the exception of the first quarter when the lighter Oilers riddled the Jacks forwards for four first downs. The line tightened, however, after the opening period onslaught, and held the northwest champs to three first downs for the remainder of the game.

Willie B. Perkins, 195-pound veteran tackle and all-state candidate, Rudy Estess and Charles Cooksey, stellar guards; Ends Lawrence Rodgers, Leon Howell, Wilbur Christman and Warren Rodgers, Tackles Stuart Richman and D. Boyd; and a pair of hard-working centers, Wayne Cruse and Carl Wallis, looked plenty good in the Lumberjack line.

BUTLER TALLIES LONE MARKER

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back Fred Newman gave the ball to the Tigers and another threat was halted.

Lineups and summary:

Auburn	Pos.	Tennessee
McGehee	LE	Coleman
MacEachern	LT	Shires
Mills	LG	Molinsky
Morgan	C	Rike
Howell	RG	Suffridge
Nichols	RT	Clay
Samford	RE	Cifers
Cheatham	QB	Bartholomew
McGowen	LH	Cafego
Happer	RH	Foxx
Deal	FB	Newman

Score by periods:

Auburn	0	0	0	0	0
Tennessee	0	7	0	0	7

Scoring: Tennessee — touchdown: Butler (sub for Cafego); point after touchdown: Peel (sub for Bartholomew), (placement).

Substitutions: Auburn—ends: Lenoir, Faulk; tackle: Bulger; guards: Chandler, Thorpe; center: Fairchild; backs: McMahan, Ellis, Mims, Wendling, Haynsworth.

Tennessee—ends: Balitsaris, Hust, Disspayne; tackles: Edmiston, Lutrell; guards: Thomas, Smith, Steiner; center: Ackerman; backs: Warren, Peel, Butler, Andridge, Wallen, Coffman.

Officials: referee, Buck Cheves (Georgia); umpire, H. W. Sholar (Presbyterian); linesman, G. M. Phillips (Georgia Tech); field judge, T. L. Johnson (Georgia Tech).

STATISTICS

	Auburn	Tenn.
First downs	9	14
Yards gained rushing (net)	79	195
Forward passes attempted	8	12
Forward passes completed	4	6
Yards gained forward passes	46	79
Yards lost attempted forward passes	0	0
Forward passes intercepted by	1	0
Yards runback intercepted passes	10	0
Punting average (from scrimmage)	41	44
Total yards all kicks returned	42	37
Opponents' fumbles recovered	2	0
Yards lost by penalties	20	5

RECORD, OR SOMETHING

MISSOULA, Mont.—(AP)—Montana State university claims the largest majorette corps of any college in the United States. Fifty-eight co-eds spin batons in their twirling drill between halves of football games.

One of the few white doves ever seen in Texas was discovered by a game warden in Gillespie county. He examined it through field glasses at 30 yards and reported it appeared to be a pure albino with pink eyes.

RADIO PROGRAM

STATIONS THAT MAKE UP THE NETWORKS

(Note: Refer to this box for stations of networks indicated after each program item. All programs are carried by key stations and basic chains or groups thereof unless specified.)

NBC-WEAF (RED): Basic—East: weaf wfgb wfbr wnac wben wtam wwj wtic wjac kyw wcae wcsh wjar wgy wrc wdel wtag weeu wraw; **Midwest:** wmaq who wire wdaf wtmj kstp wow ksd; **South:** wmbg wsb wbrc wjdx wmc wsmb wfaa wbap kprc kark wky woai ktbs kvoo; **Mountain:** koa kdyl

NBC-WJZ (BLUE): Basic — East: wjz wbal wbz wicc webr whk wxyz wfil kdka wean wham wbza wayr wmal waby wleu wtjn wnbc wmff; **Midwest:** wmt wenr wls kso wowo wren wlon kwk well wbcm wfdf wibm wjim kina; **South:** wrtd kgko kxyz wiok waga wjbo wagn ktha wmps wdsu; **Mountain:** kvod kfel klo kuta

NBC OPTIONAL STATIONS operate either RED or BLUE—**East:** wsan wrdo wibz wlw weal wcol wing wkbo wgal wfea wapd wbre work cmx cbf cbm cfcf cbl; **Midwest:** wehe wgbf wgl wood wiba kysm kroc kelo ksoo kfam wbow kans wcfl cbk kfyr wday koam kgbx; **South:** wise kgkv wblk wtar weoa wcsc wsoc wis wfbc wptf wjax wlak wiod wfla wsun kgnc kfdm wapo kris wrol wala kgrv wave wsm; **Mountain:** kghl kido kgir kpfa ksei ktfi kob ktsm kghf

CBS-WABC: BASIC — East: wabc woko wcoa weei wgr wkbw wcky wgar wdrc wcau wjas wpro wfbl wjsv; **Midwest:** wbbm krnt wfbm kmbc kfab whas kmox. **OTHER STATIONS: East:** wade wpg wabi [illegible] **Mid-west:** [illegible] **South:** [illegible] **Mountain:** kgm kvor kiz kfbb kgvo koy [illegible]

MBS-WOR-WGN—BASIC: wor wgn [illegible] **New England:** [illegible] **Midwest** [illegible] **South** [illegible] **Mountain:** kfel kfka (Note: Some MBS stations also on other chains.)

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 10

Eastern Standard—Subtract One Hr. for CST, 2 Hrs. for MT.—P.M.

(Changes in programs as listed due to last minute network corrections)

1:00—Modern Music, Orch.—nbc-weaf
The Pilgrimage of Poetry—nbc-wjz
Church of the Air Sermon—cbs-wabc
Don Ames with Orchestra—mbs-wor
1:15—[illegible] Songs—nbc-wjz
Betty and Buddy in Songs—mbs-wor
The Singing Canaries—mbs-midwest
1:30—From Holly'w'd Today—nbc-weaf
Metropolitan Moods, Orch.—nbc-wjz
[illegible] Strings — cbs-wabc
Sunday Lutheran Hour — mbs-chain
2:00—String Symph. — nbc-weaf-east
Smoke Dreams Music—nbc-red-west
Great Plays "Tartuffe" — nbc-wjz
Democracy in Action—cbs-wabc-net.
Presbyterian Anniversary—mbs-chain
2:30—Chicago's Roundtable—nbc-weaf
Think You Know Music—cbs-wabc
Anson Weeks Orches.—cbs-midwest
Let's Go Back to Bible — mbs-east
3:00—I Want a Divorce — nbc-weaf
Norman Cloutier's Music — nbc-wjz
New York's Philharmonic—cbs-wabc
Meditation and Melody — mbs-wgn
3:30—News of Europe—nbc-weaf-east
We the Wives Quiz — nbc-red-west
Tapestry Musicale, Orch. — nbc-wjz
Haven of Rest, Hymns — mbs-chain
Canaries rpt — wgn-wcae-wkrc-wkbf
3:45—Rangers Serenade — nbc-weaf
4:00—Dancing Music Orch.—nbc-weaf
National Vespers by Radio—nbc-wjz
Nobody's Children Drama—mbs-net.
4:30—The World Is Yours — nbc-weaf
Music for the Dancing — nbc-wjz
The Pursuit of Happiness—cbs-wabc
The Shadow — to mbs-New England
Lutheran Hour rpt. — mbs-midwest
5:00—Dance Music Orches.—nbc-weaf
Moylan Sisters, Songs—nbc-wjz-east
Vagabonds Quartet — nbc-blue-west
Hobby Lobby Prog.—cbs-wabc-basic
Going South, Song Prog.—cbs-Dixie
The Musical Steel Makers—mbs-wor
5:15—Bob Becker on Dogs—nbc-weaf
Baukhage-NcNamee Com.—nbc-wjz
Four Clubmen, Quartet — cbs-Dixie
5:30—Paul Wing's Spelling—nbc-weaf
Opera Auditions of the Air—nbc-wjz
Ben Bernie & Lew Lehr — cbs-wabc
Shadow (repeat) — mbs-wor & west
6:00—The Catholic Service—nbc-weaf
The New Friends of Music—nbc-wjz
Conrad Nagle's Theater— cbs-wabc
Listen America Program—mbs-chain
6:30—Radio's Grouch Club—nbc-weaf
The Hollywood Gateway — cbs-wabc
Show of the Week Orches.—mbs-wor
7:00—Jack Benny and Mary—nbc-weaf
Dinah Shore Songs; News—nbc-wjz
European News Broadcast—cbs-wabc
The Bach Cantata Series—mbs-wor
7:30—Bandwagon Orchest.—nbc-weaf
Mr. District Attorney, Play—nbc-wjz
The Screen Guild — cbs-wabc-basic
Potpourri of Weekend—cbs-midwest
The Wellesley Verse Choir—mbs-wgn
7:45—New Tunes, Orchest.—mbs-wor
8:00—Charlie McCarthy Hr.—nbc-weaf
Festival of Music, Orches.—nbc-wjz
Orson Welles Drama—cbs-wabc-east
Ellery Queen Drama—cbs-wabc-west
American Forum, Talks — mbs-wor
8:30—The Voice of Hawaii—nbc-wjz
8:55—Elmer Davis, News — cbs-wabc
9:00—The Merry Go Round—nbc-weaf
Walter Winchell's Column—nbc-wjz
Sunday Eve. Con. Hour — cbs-wabc
Old-Fashioned Revival — mbs-chain
9:15—"The Parker Family"—nbc-wjz
9:30—Album Familiar Mus.—nbc-weaf
Irene Rich's 15-min. Play—nbc-wjz
9:45—Bill Stern and Sports—nbc-wjz
10:00—Phil Spitalny's Girls — nbc-weaf
European War Broadcast — nbc-wjz
Ellery Queen repeat—cbs-wabc-east
Orson Welles repeat — cbs-net.-west
Good Will Hour via Radio—mbs-wor
10:15—Dance Music Orchest.—nbc-wjz
10:30—Primrose Qt. — nbc-weaf-basic
Home Town, Un-Inc.—nbc-red-south
Cheerio's Cheer Program — nbc-wjz
11:00—News Broadcast—nbc-weaf-wjz
Paul Sullivan News — cbs-wabc-east
Dancing Music Orchestra—cbs-west
Tunes for the Dancers — mbs-chain
11:15—Dance Music Till 1—nbc-chain
Irene Rich in repeat—nbc-blue-west
Dancing Music Orch. to 2—cbs-wabc
Dance Music Orch. until 2—mbs-wor
11:30—Benny rpt. (30 m.)—nbc-red-w.
12:00—P. Sullivan's rpt. — cbs-midwest

FARLEY PREDICTS NEW MAIL RECORD

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—(AP)—Postmaster General Farley predicted today that Christmas mail volume and postal revenues would set a new record this year.

Coupling the prediction with a plea to ship and mail early, Farley said deliveries on Christmas day would be limited to gift parcels and special delivery matter.

The postmaster general said that postoffices have been supplied with 3,715,375,924 extra postage stamps to take care of the anticipated holiday demand.

Spiders are no more closely related to insects than birds are to reptiles.

ANNOUNCES NEW MAT TITLE PLAN

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CONFERENCE HEAD DECLARES TROJAN VOTE 'DECISIVE'

Pacific Coast Selection Will Invite Team As Opponent

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 9.—(AP)—Tennessee and Southern California will clash in the twenty-fifth consecutive Rose bowl football game January 1.

Director of Athletics Willis O. Hunter of U. S. C. announced formally tonight that undefeated, untied and unscored upon Tennessee had accepted an invitation to meet the twice tied Trojans in the Pasadena postseason classic.

The coveted bid and acceptance were consummated within a short time after the Pacific Coast conference had notified U. S. C. it had been named as the host school for the big game.

Tennessee's selection came as no surprise.

CORVALLIS, Ore., Dec. 9.—(AP)—University of Southern California was picked by Pacific Coast conference members tonight to play an eastern representative in the Rose bowl on January 1, 1940.

Conference President C. V. Ruzek, in reporting the telegraphic poll, followed the circuit's policy of not disclosing the vote of the 10 schools' faculty representatives but said it was "decisive."

This will be Southern California's sixth Rose bowl game, and the second in a row. The Trojans previously defeated Penn State at Pasadena in 1923, Pittsburgh in 1930, Tulane in 1932, Pittsburgh in 1933 and Duke January 2 of ths year. They have never lost a Rose bowl game.

The U. S. C. squad of this season was tied twice, by Oregon in its first game of the season, 7-7, and by U. C. L. A. today in its last, 0-0. Between those deadlocks the Trojans won seven games. U. C. L. A., only possible disputant of Troy's right to the bowl selection, was undefeated but had been tied three times in the conference and once outside.

LISBON, JUNCTION CITY CAGERS LEAD

BERNICE, La., Dec. 9.—(Special)—The Lisbon High school girls and the Junction City High school boys took the lead in the Tri-Parish Basketball league the past week, both teams having chalked up two victories against no defeats.

The Bernice and Hico boys' teams are also unbeaten but have won only one game.

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Games on Tuesday of next week find the boys' and girls' teams of Bernice at Junction City and Lisbon's aggregations at Hico. Summerfield teams have an open date.

Plans For Class B Title Contest To Be Made Today

CLARKS TO MEET KENTWOOD SQUAD IN FINAL BATTLE

Committee Will Meet To Decide Place And Date Of Crown Tilt

Plans for the Kentwood-Clarks battle for the Class B football championship of the state will be made today at a meeting of the Class B committees of the northeast and southeast conferences at Alexandria.

In all probability the game will be played next Friday, according to G. S. Manning, chairman of the northeast district committee, but the place for the game will be the main topic of today's discussion.

The Lumberjacks, who won the northeast district crowd two weeks ago by nosing out Lake Providence, 14 to 13, battled their way to a 12-to-0 victory over the Oil City Oilers here Friday night to cop the north Louisiana title.

While the Lumberjacks were eliminating Oil City, the Kentwood aggregation was trouncing Landry Memorial of Lake Charles, 15 to 6, to win the south Louisiana crown aand the right to meet Clarks.

Coach Dudley Fulton displayed a stellar aggregation here Friday in the Oil City game, and the Lumberjacks should be able to bring Caldwell parish its second championship in three years. However, little is known of the Kentwood team in this section, and the southern champions may prove plenty tough.

Although the 'Jacks scored only two touchdowns in trimming the Oilers, they showed a world of power in chalking up 18 first downs with five backs sharing in the offensive chores. Ernest Meredith, Eldridge Loflin and E. Stringer turned in most of Clarks' gains although Halfback Carroll and Lecil Aldrich also figured in the victory.

The big Clarks line looked best rushing Oil City passers and punters, but played an outstanding game otherwise, with the exception of the first quarter when the lighter Oilers riddled the 'Jacks forwards for four first downs. The line tightened, however, after the opening period onslaught, and held the northwest champs to three first downs for the remainder of the game.

Willie B. Perkins, 195-pound veteran tackle and all-state candidate, Rudy Estess and Charles Cooksey, stellar guards; Ends Lawrence Rodgers, Leon Howell, Wilbur Christman and Warren Rodgers; Tackles Stuart Richman and D. Boyd; and a pair of hard-working centers, Wayne Cruse and Carl Wallis, looked plenty good in the Lumberjack line.

BUTLER TALLIES LONE MARKER

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back Fred Newman gave the ball to the Tigers and another threat was halted.

Lineups and summary:

Auburn	Pos.	Tennessee
McGehee	LE	Coleman
MacEachern	LT	Shires
Mills	LG	Molinsky
Morgan	C	Rike
Howell	RG	Suffridge
Nichols	RT	Clay
Samford	RE	Cifers
Cheatham	QB	Bartholomew
McGowen	LH	Cafego
Happer	RH	Foxx
Deal	FB	Newman

Score by periods:

Auburn	0	0	0	0—0
Tennessee	0	7	0	0—7

Scoring: Tennessee — touchdown: Butler (sub for Cafego); point after touchdown: Peel (sub for Bartholomew), (placement).

Substitutions: Auburn—ends: Lenoir, Faulk; tackle: Bulger; guards: Chandler, Thorpe; center: Fairchild; backs: McMahan, Ellis, Mims, Wendling, Haynsworth.

Tennessee—ends: Balitsaris, Hust, Disspayne; tackles: Edmiston, Lutrell; guards: Thomas, Smith, Steiner; center: Ackerman; backs: Warren, Peel, Butler, Andridge, Wallen, Coffman.

Officials: referee, Buck Cheves (Georgia); umpire, H. W. Sholar (Presbyterian); linesman, G. M. Phillips (Georgia Tech); field judge, T. L. Johnson (Georgia Tech).

STATISTICS

	Auburn	Tenn.
First downs	9	14
Yards gained rushing (net)	79	195
Forward passes attempted	8	12
Forward passes completed	4	6
Yards gained forward passes	46	79
Yards lost attempted forward passes	0	0
Forward passes intercepted by	1	0
Yards runback intercepted passes	10	0
Punting average (from scrimmage)	41	44
Total yards all kicks returned	42	37
Opponents' fumbles recovered	2	0
Yards lost by penalties	20	5

RECORD, OR SOMETHING

MISSOULA, Mont.—(AP)—Montana State university claims the largest majorette corps of any college in the United States. Fifty-eight co-eds spin batons in their twirling drill between halves of football games.

One of the few white doves ever seen in Texas was discovered by a game warden in Gillespie county. He examined it through field glasses at 30 yards and reported it appeared to be a pure albino with pink eyes.

RADIO PROGRAM

STATIONS THAT MAKE UP THE NETWORKS

(Note: Refer to this box for stations of networks indicated after each program item. All programs are carried by key stations and basic chains or groups thereof unless specified.)

NBC-WEAF (RED): Basic—East: weaf wfgb wfbr wnac wben wtam wwj wtic wjac kyw wcae wcsh wjar wgy wrc wdel wtag weeu wraw; Midwest: wmaq who wire wdaf wtmj kstp wow ksd; South: wmbg wsb wbrc wjdx wmc wsmb wfaa wbap kprc kark wky woai ktbs kvoo; Mountain: koa kdyl

NBC-WJZ (BLUE): Basic — East: wjz wbal wbz wicc webr whk wxyz wfil kdka wean wham wbza wsyr wmal waby wleu wtjn wnbc wmff; Midwest: wmt wenr wls kso wowo wren wton kwk well wbcm wfdf wibm wjim kma; South: wrtd kgko kxyz wtok waga wjbo wsgn kths wmps wdsu; Mountain: kvod kfel klo kuta

NBC OPTIONAL STATIONS operate either RED or BLUE—East: wsan wrdo wlbz wlw wsai wcol wing wkbo wgal wfea wspd wbre work cmx cbf cbm cfcf cbl; Midwest: webc wgbf wgl wood wiba kysm kroc kelo ksoo kfam wbow kans wcfl cbk kfyr wday koam kgbx; South: wise kgkv wblk wtar wcoa wcsc wsoc wis wfbc wptf wjax wlak wiod wfla wsun kgnc kfdm wapo kris wrol wala kgrv wave wsm; Mountain: kghl kido kgir kpfa ksei ktfi kob ktsm kghf.

CBS-WABC: BASIC — East: wabc woko wcoa weei wgr wkbw wcky wgar wdrc wcau wjas wpro wfbl wjsv; Midwest: wbbm krnt wfbm kmbc kfab whas kmox. OTHER STATIONS: East: wadc wpg wabi wnbf wbns whio wjr wesg whp ckac wgan whec wgbi wkaq wmas wnbx cfrb wibx wbry worc wkbn; Midwest: woc wkbb kdal weoa wind wtaq wmfg wkbh kglo wisn wcco koil wmbd wsbt wibw whlb kfh wnax; South: waim wwnc wgst wrdw wapi wchs wbt wdod wrbl krld wdnc wmmm wbig ktrh wmbr wnox klra wmaz wrec wcoc wqam wsfa wlac wwl koma wdbo wpar wrva wdbj ktsa wtoc kwkh wdae ktul wjno wwva kwft wsjs; Mountain: kggm kvor klz kfbb kgvo koy koh ksl ktuc.

MBS-WOR-WGN—BASIC: wor wgn cklw whk wcle waby weny wbax wfil wbal wol wrva wcae wlw wkrc whkc wral wair wstp wsoc wlap wsix wgrc wcml; New England: wicc wtht watr wspr wfea waab wlnh wlbz wnlc wrdo wllh wean wsar wnbh whai wcou wbrk wsyb; Midwest: whbf kwk wdgy webc wdsm kso wmt koil kfor whb kggf; South: ktok kada kcrc kome kbix kgff kjfz krbc kfda know kric kbst kris kand wrr kluf kxyz kfro kfyo kplt kgkl kabc krry ktem kcmc kgkb waco krgv; Mountain: kfel kfka. (Note: Some MBS stations also on other chains.)

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 10

Eastern Standard—Subtract One Hr. for CST, 2 Hrs. for MT.—P.M.

(Changes in programs as listed due to last-minute network corrections)

1:00—Moderns Music, Orch.—nbc-weaf
The Pilgrimage of Poetry—nbc-wjz
Church of the Air Sermon—cbs-wabc
Don Arres with Orchestra—mbs-wor
1:15—Vass Family & Songs—nbc-wjz
Betty and Buddy in Songs—mbs-wor
The Singing Canaries—mbs-midwest
1:30—From Hollyw'd Today—nbc-weaf
Metropolitan Moods, Orch.—nbc-wjz
Piano; Brown's Strings — cbs-wabc
Sunday Lutheran Hour — mbs-chain
2:00—String Symph. — nbc-weaf-east
Smoke Dreams Music—nbc-red-west
Great Plays "Tartuffe" — nbc-wjz
Democracy in Action—cbs-wabc-net.
Presbyterian Annivers'y—mbs-chain
2:30—Chicago's Roundtable—nbc-weaf
Think You Know Music—cbs-wabc
Anson Weeks Orches.—cbs-midwest
Let's Go Back to Bible — mbs-east
3:00—I Want a Divorce — nbc-weaf
Norman Cloutier's Music — nbc-wjz
New York's Philharmonic—cbs-wabc
Meditation and Melody — mbs-wgn
3:30—News of Europe—nbc-weaf-east
We the Wives Quiz — nbc-red-west
Tapestry Musicale, Orch. — nbc-wjz
Haven of Rest, Hymns — mbs-chain
Canaries rpt.—wgn-wcae-wkrc-wkbf
3:45—Rangers Serenade — nbc-weaf
4:00—Dancing Music Orch.—nbc-weaf
National Vespers by Radio—nbc-wjz
Nobody's Children Drama—mbs-net.
4:30—The World Is Yours — nbc-weaf
Music for the Dancing — nbc-wjz
The Pursuit of Happiness—cbs-wabc
The Shadow — to mbs-New England
Lutheran Hour rpt. — mbs-midwest
5:00—Dance Music Orches.—nbc-weaf
Moylan Sisters, Songs—nbc-wjz-east
Vagabonds Quartet — nbc-blue-west
Hobby Lobby Prog.—cbs-wabc-basic
Going South, Song Prog.—cbs-Dixie
The Musical Steel Makers—mbs-wor
5:15—Bob Becker on Dogs—nbc-weaf
Bankhage-NcNamee Com.—nbc-wjz
Four Clubmen, Quartet — cbs-Dixie
5:30—Paul Wing's Spelling—nbc-weaf
Opera Auditions of the Air—nbc-wjz
Ben Bernie & Lew Lehr — cbs-wabc
Shadow (repeat) — mbs-wor & west
6:00—The Catholic Service—nbc-weaf
The New Friends of Music—nbc-wjz
Conrad Nagle's Theater— cbs-wabc
Listen America Program—mbs-chain
6:30—Radio's Grouch Club—nbc-weaf
The Hollywood Gateway — cbs-wabc
Show of the Week Orches.—mbs-wor
7:00—Jack Benny and Mary—nbc-weaf
Dinah Shore Songs; News—nbc-wjz
European News Broadcast—cbs-wabc
The Bach Cantata Series—mbs-wor
7:30—Bandwagon Orchest.—nbc-weaf
Mr. District Attorney, Play—nbc-wjz
The Screen Guild — cbs-wabc-basic
Potpourri of Weekend—cbs-midwest
The Wellesley Verse Choir—mbs-wgn
7:45—New Tunes, Orchest.—mbs-wor
8:00—Charlie McCarthy Hr.—nbc-weaf
Festival of Music, Orches.—nbc-wjz
Orson Welles Drama—cbs-wabc-east
Ellery Queen Drama—cbs-wabc-west
American Forum, Talks — mbs-wor
8:30—The Voice of Hawaii—nbc-wjz
8:55—Elmer Davis, News — cbs-wabc
9:00—The Merry Go Round—nbc-weaf
Walter Winchell's Column—nbc-wjz
Sunday Eve. Con. Hour — cbs-wabc
Old-Fashioned Revival — mbs-chain
9:15—"The Parker Family"—nbc-wjz
9:30—Album Familiar Mus.—nbc-weaf
Irene Rich's 15-min. Play—nbc-wjz
9:45—Bill Stern and Sports—nbc-wjz
10:00—Phil Spitalny's Girls — nbc-weaf
European War Broadcast — nbc-wjz
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10:15—Dance Music Orchest.—nbc-wjz
10:30—Primrose Qt. — nbc-weaf-basic
Home Town, Un-Inc.—nbc-red-south
Cheerio's Cheer Program — nbc-wjz
11:00—News Broadcast—nbc-weaf-wjz
Paul Sullivan News — cbs-wabc-east
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Tunes for the Dancers — mbs-chain
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12:00—P. Sullivan's rpt. — cbs-midwest

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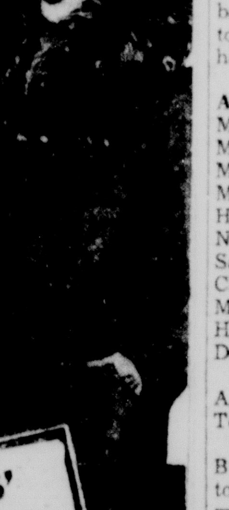

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Oil And Gas News

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 9 —(AP)— Com...

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Iberia parish, Luton Iberia Oil corporation.

Jefferson Davis parish, Union Sulphur company.

Lafourche parish, Taylor Fishman, Berzas Oil company, Mixton Oil company, E. H. Stickney, Golden Meadow Oil corporation and Fred Shields.

Plaquemines parish, Gulf Refining company, Freeport Sulphur company.

Rapides parish, Sid W. Richardson, Gulf Refining company.

St. Landry parish, the Texas company.

St. Mary parish, H. J. de Arman et al. (four permits).

Vermilion parish, Continental Oil company.

Bossier parish, Mary Lena Stockall.

Caddo parish, Irvan Wright, True Caibble, L. R. Baker and N. Wisman, H. H. Granemann.

Claiborne parish, E. T. Oakes and Harry Standrup.

Union parish, Memphis Natural Gas company, H. L. Woods, trustee.

Cottonseed Oil

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 9 —(AP)— Cottonseed oil closed steady. Bleachable prime summer yellow 6.80 nominal; prime crude 5.75-6.00. Dec. 6.22b; Jan. 6.26b; March 6.46b; May 6.56b; July 6.66b.

(b) Bid.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9 —(AP)— Bleachable cottonseed oil futures closed 1-5 higher. Sales 30 contracts. December 6.75B, January 6.80, March 6.96B, May 7.07; July 7.16.

B- Bid.

NEW YORK STOCKS

By Victor Eubank

NEW YORK, Dec. 9 —(AP)— Priming the rallying pump was difficult in today's stock market and leading issues shifted over a narrowly irregular range.

Traders had little in the way of outstanding news to go on. The majority seemed content to keep commitments at a minimum and await the dawn of a new week.

It was a typical Wall Street Saturday ... attendance in boardrooms limited. Speed was lacking throughout ... transfers for the two hours ... 250,000 shares.

A few steels, motors, rails, aircrafts and specialties managed to post fractional ... at the time ... marks were plentiful at the close and numerous stocks unchanged.

Brokers continued to blame dribbling year-end tax selling and foreign liquidation for the major part of the market's apathy. The obvious ...

FINAL QUOTATIONS

General Gas & Electric A	
General Motors	53¼
General Railway Signal	
Gillette Safety Razor	
Gimbel Brothers	
Goodrich B F	
Goodyear Tire & Rubber	24
Graham Paige Motor	
Great Northern Iron Ore ctf	
Great Northern Railway pf	27¼
Greyhound Corporation	
Hecker Products	
Homestake Mining	
Hud Hershey B	
Houston Oil	
Illinois Central	
Industrial Rayon	
Ingersoll Rand	
Inspiration Copper	
Interlake Iron	
International Harvester	
International Hydro-Electric A	
International Mer Marine	
International Nickel Can	36¼
International Paper & Power	
International Tel & Tel	4¼
Johns-Manville Products	76
Kansas City Southern pf	
Kennecott Copper	38¼
Kresge S S	
Kroger Grocery	28¼
Lehigh Port C	22
Libbey Owens Ford Glass	49
Liggett & Myers B	
Loew's Incorporated	
Lone Star Cement	46
Long Bell Lumber A	
Louisville & Nashville	58
Mack Trucks	29
Mary R H Company	30
Marine Midland	6
Marshall Field	
Mathieson Alkali	29
Miami Copper	
Mid Cont Pet	14
Mission Corporation	9¼

MARKETS AT A GLANCE

NEW YORK, Dec. 9 —(AP)— Stocks, slightly mixed; leaders continue to drift. Bonds, narrow; pressure relaxes against Scandinavian issues. Foreign exchange, steady; Sweden and Norway monies drop. Cotton, firm, general buying and covering. Sugar, easy, Cuban selling, commission house liquidation. Metals slow, slack demand for copper, lead, zinc. Wool tops irregular, commission houses on both sides.

CHICAGO: Higher, no drouth relief. Corn higher. Cattle, steady. Hogs 10-20 lower.

Livestock

CHICAGO, Dec. 9 —(AP)— (USDA) Salable hogs 500, total 6,500; only a few small lots and loads on sale; hardly enough to test conditions; undertone weak, however, and few sales 10-20 lower than Friday's average; good and choice 210-280 lbs. averages 7.00-35.

Salable cattle 100, calves 100, compared Friday last week good and choice medium weight and heavy fed steers 25-50 higher, big weights scaling over 1,500 lbs. showing full advance, all yearlings and good to choice handy light steers strong to 25 up, common and medium grade steers weak to 25 lower, price dividing line now being around 8.50, choice heifers scarce, strong, other grades 25 lower, beef cows 10-15 off, canners and cutters steady, sausage bulls 25-40 higher, but heavy fat bulls slow, steady, after working 25-50 higher vealers lost part of advance, strictly grain-fed steers and long yearlings and warmed-up and short-fed heifers predominated in receipts.

Salable sheep 3,500, total 3,500, late Friday good to choice handy and medium weight lambs steady to strong, others slow, easier in spots; top 9.50, bulk 9.10-9.25, sheep steady, slaughter ewes 3.75-4.50. Compared Friday last week fat lambs fully 15-25 higher, yearlings sharing upturn, sheep steady, week's lamb top 9.50 paid at close.

Sugar

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World contracts also were moderately lower, reflecting a little speculative and European liquidation. Demand came principally through wire house and commission interests.

No open offerings of raw sugar were reported. Cubas were unchanged at the last sale price of 3.29 cents, duty paid. Refined was quiet at 4.70 cents.

Futures No. 3 closed unchanged to 1 lower. Sales 4,000 tons. Closed: May 1.95B; July 1.98B.

No. 4 closed 1-2 to 1 1-2 lower; May 1.57B.

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Airey's communication charged that this reply was "evading the issue," and that "here, Mr. Mayor, is a matter which does vitally affect the city's interest. What have you done about it? Nothing. What, if anything, do you propose to do about it?"

The letter then asked Mayor Maestri concerning records allegedly showing that assessments on the Pelican baseball park here had been reduced after the property's purchase by a group led by Maestri.

Next it took up a ruling by a federal judge in Texas, in connection with a "hot oil" case, which said, "Governor Leche of Louisiana and Seymour Weiss, his political boss, could not have picked down this money and put it in their pockets but for Dr. Shaw and Commissioner Maestri. They are just as guilty in this transaction from the face of the record as are any other men indicted in this case."

Airey's letter commented, "For you to permit such a finding * * * to go unchallenged is for you to admit its verity. To admit its verity is to admit your disqualification for the office you hold."

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DAILY COTTON TABLE

Port movement:	Mdlg	Receipts	Exports	Sales	Stocks
New Orleans	10.52	13,447	1,050	1,110	754,544
Galveston	10.40	8,657		285	878,906
Mobile	10.32	342			51,150
Savannah	10.60	189		59	123,670
Charleston	10.58	287	4,534		52,019
Wilmington					9,668
Norfolk	10.55	104		49	28,211
Baltimore					1,025
New York	10.69			4,700	1,650
Boston					782
Houston	10.40	6,764	22,712	11,822	846,710
Corpus Christi					52,853
Minor ports					720,011
Total Saturday		29,834	28,246	20,005	3,123,112
Total for season		4,158,994	2,635,459		

Interior movement:	Mdlg	Receipts	Shpmnts	Sales	Stocks
Memphis	10.20	15,793	15,718	33,254	970,963
Augusta	10.19	180	716	522	154,126
St. Louis		1,990	1,990		3,756
Little Rock	10.10	520	1,247	443	164,604
Dallas	10.04			10,429	
Montgomery	10.25			187	
Atlanta	10.30				
Total Saturday		18,483	19,671	44,835	1,293,449

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EMPLOYMENT

Agents, Salesmen

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Female Help Wanted

EXPERIENCED BEAUTY shop maid ... Phone 186 or 4...

EARN WHILE LEARNING Monroe Beauty School, 315 Harrison.

Male or Female Help

TRAVELING SALESLADY or salesman with car to sell decorative linen to leading general stores, specialty shops. Pacific Ives Importing Co., 303 5th Ave., New York.

Male Help Wanted

AMBITIOUS, reliable man or woman ... is interested in permanent work with good income, to supply satisfied customers with famous Watkins products in ... of Monroe. Write J. R. Watkins Co., ... W. Iowa Ave., Memphis, Tenn.

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AMAZING new opportunity. Demonstrate for nationally known tailoring company. Up to $35 a week. No canvassing. Permanent position. Rapid advancement. Your own clothes free as bonus. ... Harrison-Throop, Dept. 60..., Chicago.

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MARRIED man, age 34, anything considered. Experienced in sales and ... Hard work suits me fine. A ... is what I want. Write Box 110-A, News-Star, or phone 933-J.

CHICAGO GRAIN

CHICAGO, Dec. 9 —(AP)— Cash wheat no sales reported.

Corn No. 1 yellow 55 3-4 to 56 1-2; No. 5 52 3-4; No. 1 white 63 1-4; No. 2 63 1-2.

Oats No. 2 white 41 3-4 to 42 1-4; No. 3 40 3-4 to 41; sample 38 1-2.

Soy beans No. 2 yellow 1.08 1-4; No. 3 1.07 to 07 1-2; sample 1.04 1-2.

Timothy seed 3.15-4.15 nominal.

Red top 8.50-9.00 nominal.

Alsike 14.00-17.00 nominal.

Alfalfa 17.50-22.50 nominal.

Wheat closed 7-8 to 1 5-8 cents higher than yesterday, December 97 5-8, May 94 7-8 to 95, corn 1-4 to 5-8 up, December 54 1-4 to 3-8, May 55 3-4 to 7-8, oats 1-4 to 5-8 higher.

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT				
Dec	97¼-⅜	98⅛	97	97⅝
May	93⅞-94	95⅛	93⅞	94⅞-95
July	91⅞	93⅛	91⅞	92⅞-93
CORN				
Dec	54	54⅝	53⅞	54¼-⅜
May	55⅛-¼	55⅞	55⅛	55¾-⅞
July	55⅛-¼	56	55⅜	55⅝-¾
OATS				
Dec	39⅝	40⅛	39⅝	40⅛
May	37⅞	38⅜	37⅞	38⅛
July	34⅛	34⅛	33⅞	34⅛
SOY BEANS				
Dec	1.08¼	1.08½	1.08	1.08
May	1.07½	1.08¼	1.07½	1.08
July	1.05¼	1.06¼	1.05¼	1.05½
RYE				
Dec	62⅝	63⅛	62⅜	63
May	64⅛	63	61⅞	62⅞
July	61	62⅛	60⅞	61⅞
LARD				
Dec				6.20
Jan				6.30
Mch	6.67	6.72	6.67	6.72
May	6.85	6.90	6.80	6.85
July	7.02	7.07	6.97	7.00
BELLIES				
Jan				6.85

RIVER STAGES

Stations	Flood Stage	Present Stage	24-Hour Change
MISSISSIPPI			
St. Louis	30	-1.7	0.1 Rise
Memphis	34	0.5	0.1 Rise
Helena	44	0.6	0.2 Rise
Arkansas City	42	0.0	0.0
Vicksburg	43	-5.7	0.1 Fall
Natchez	48	-0.5	0.2 Fall
Angola	45	1.9	0.1 Fall
Baton Rouge	35	2.5	0.1 Rise
OUACHITA			
Camden	26	4.5	0.0
Monroe	40	14.3	0.1 Fall
OHIO			
Pittsburgh	25	16.5	0.1 Fall
Cincinnati	52	12.8	1.0 Fall
Cairo	40	6.5	0.2 Rise
TENNESSEE			
Chattanooga	30	8.3	0.0
ARKANSAS			
Fort Smith	22	..	..
Little Rock	23	-1.1	0.0
RED			
Shreveport	39	1.4	0.3 Rise
Alexandria	32	0.8	0.0

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"I have no idea when we will be through. I have had so many interruptions," Shattuck told a Times-Picayune-New Orleans States reporter today.

According to the comparison of records cited, by the newspaper, "the Iberia field operations were legally authorized to produce 1,578,000 barrels of oil in 1936 under the proration orders of the department of conservation. The actual production for the year, according to the official report of that same department, was 2,457,742 barrels, while the operators paid the department of revenue a severance tax on 2,494,850 barrels, an excess production of more than 900,000 barrels.

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Mr. Mahr was fatally injured in an automobile accident that occurred near Lexington, Miss., over the weekend. His wife and other relatives rushed to his bedside and were there when he died.

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Checks will be mailed the winners immediately following the judging of books and their names will be announced in The News-Star of Wednesday, December 20, and The World of Thursday, December 21.

A limited extra supply of the books will be available at the office of the News-Star—World Publishing corporation for persons who damage or spoil their first copies.

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New Orleans

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 9.—(AP)—Increased price fixing and covering by shorts carried cotton futures to new highs for the season in today's short session and closing prices were steady at net gains of 7 to 12 points.

	Open	High	Low	Close	
Dec.	10.64	10.69	10.59	10.62b-64a	....
Jan.	10.60	10.60	10.60	10.59b-61a	....
Mch.	10.34	10.39	10.29	10.32-34	up 7
May	10.02	10.08	9.98	10.04	up 9
July	9.65	9.76	9.60	9.69-70	up 12
Oct.	9.07	9.18	9.05	9.12	up 10

(b)—Bid; (a)—Asked.

AVERAGE COTTON PRICE

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 9.—(AP)—The average price of middling 15-16ths-inch cotton today at ten southern spot markets was 14 points higher at 10.35 cents a pound, average for the past thirty market days 9.58 cents a pound; middling 7-8ths-inch average was 10.17 cents a pound.

SPOT COTTON

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 9.—(AP)—Spot cotton closed steady six points higher. Sales 3,110. Low middling 9.42; middling 10.52; good middling 10.87; receipts 13,447; stock 754,544.

New York

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—(AP)—Cotton futures reached new high price ground for the current season today. Closing levels were 10 to 14 higher.

Active trade price fixing as a result of good sales in the cotton textile market yesterday, together with short covering and some foreign buying early, forced the market up.

Contracts were supplied through hedge sales, offerings by cooperatives and some commission house liquidation.

	Open	High	Low	Last	
Dec.	10.53	10.58	10.48	10.57-58	up 12
Jan.	10.52	10.54	10.45	10.54	up 10
Mch.	10.25	10.31	10.19	10.28-30	up 13
May	9.93	10.00	9.87	9.96-97	up 12
July	9.56	9.65	9.51	9.60	up 12
Oct. new	9.05	9.14	9.00	9.11	up 13

Middling spot 10.69n, up 12.
(n)—Nominal.

Potatoes

CHICAGO, Dec. 9.—(AP)—(USDA)—Potatoes 56; on track 183; total U. S. shipments 481; best quality northern white stock firm; western stock steady; supplies rather light; demand moderate; sacked per cwt. Idaho Russets Burbanks U. S. 1, 1.77 1-2 to 90; U. S. 2, 1.35 to 37 1-2; Colorado Red McClures U. S. 1, burlap sacks 1.75.

Butter And Eggs

CHICAGO, Dec. 9.—(AP)—Butter 676,849; steady; creamery 92 score, 29 3-4; other prices unchanged. Eggs 5,735; weak; current receipts 15 3-4; refrigerator extras 15 1-2; standards 15 1-4; firsts 14 1-2; other prices unchanged.

AIREY QUIZZES MAESTRI AGAIN

(Continued from First Page)

examination of his records, since (A) he has been in office but a short time and can surely have no reason to fear an examination of his administration; (B) his predecessor in office has been indicted for crime and for that reason and that reason alone the books and records of the department should be thrown open to public inspection for the period he was in office, and (C) during a number of years prior to Mr. Rankin's term of office, you were the commissioner of conservation and, therefore, you owe it to yourself and to the people of this city and state to:

"1. Give unmistakable assurance and proof to the people that you have no objection to public scrutiny of your own administration of the department.

"2. Effectively put an end to the repeated rumors and stories which must have reached your own ears that you personally profited by your position —during your tenure in office.

"3. Return to the people of this city and state the right which is theirs to reasonably examine the records of public offices, which belongs to them, for after all is said and done, the public records are the property of the people and not of the individual or set of individuals which happen at the time to hold public office."

Later, in recounting progress of an open hearing held recently into charges of an alleged tax assessment reduction in New Orleans, the letter said, "When we first appealed to you in our first letter, you informed us that we 'should appeal to state officials concerning state affairs.'"

Airey's communication charged that this reply was "evading the issue," and that "here, Mr. Mayor, is a matter which does vitally affect the city's interest. What have you done about it? Nothing. What, if anything, do you propose to do about it?"

The letter then asked Mayor Maestri concerning records allegedly showing that assessments on the Pelican baseball park here had been reduced after the property's purchase by a group led by Maestri.

Next it took up a ruling by a federal judge in Texas, in connection with a "hot oil" case, which said, "Governor Leche of Louisiana and Seymour Weiss, his political boss, could not have pulled down this money and put it in their pockets but for Dr. Shaw and Commissioner Maestri. They are just as guilty in this transaction from the face of the record as are any other men indicted in this case."

Airey's letter commented, "For you to permit such a finding * * * to go unchallenged is for you to admit its verity. To admit its verity is to admit your disqualification for the office you hold."

The letter also charged that "gambling of the worst sort has flourished in the city."

It ended, "It is your duty to act, Mr. Mayor, to act fearlessly, unflinchingly and decisively as the leader of our people. We hope you will. We expect that you will not."

Oil And Gas News

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 9.—(AP)—Completion of 19 wells with a total daily initial production of 6,344.96 barrels of oil and issuance of 37 drilling permits were announced Saturday in the weekly report of the state conservation department.

The largest producer reported was the Texas company's L. L. & E.-Paradis No. 2, in the Paradis field in St. Charles parish. The well was reported making 862 barrels of oil daily on a quarter-inch choke.

Daily oil production in the Eola in Avoyelles parish jumped 1736.70 barrels with completion of three wells. They were the Amerada Petroleum corporation's Avoyelles B. & T. No. 2, with 690 barrels, and the Mrs. C. B. Marchive No. 7, with 732 barrels, both wells on quarter-inch chokes, and Sid W. Richardson's Haas Investment company No. 7, flowing 314.70 barrels on a three-sixteenths-inch choke.

H. J. De Arman et al reported five completions in the West Charenton field in St. Mary parish, with a total daily initial production of 1916.10 barrels of oil, and the Pan-American production company reported two completions in the West Charenton field in St. Mary parish, with a total daily initial production of 1916.10 barrels of oil, and the Pan-American Production company reported two completions with total daily production of 322.92 barrels in the Charenton field in St. Mary parish.

The de Arman wells flowed open and their daily initial oil productions were D. Alleman No. 5, 226.80 barrels; D. Alleman No. 8, 405 barrels; Mrs. Sidney Kern No. 5, 469.80 barrels; Mrs. Sidney Kern No. 8, 486.90 barrels, and Simoneaux No. 7, 372.60 barrels. The Pan-American's wells were the E. J. Robichaux No. 10 and No. 12, producing 140.76 and 182.16 barrels daily, respectively, both on gas lift.

Other completions reported, the fields in which they were produced, and the daily initial oil production of the wells follow:

Bancroft field, Beauregard parish, Republic Production company's J. A. Whitman, Jr., No. 1, 270.48 barrels on 12 64-inch choke.

Darrow field, ascension parish, Humble Oil and Refining company's Community No. 27, 130 barrels on one-eighth-inch choke.

Golden Meadow field, Lafourche parish, Berkshire Oil company's Joe Nicol et al No. 10, 250 barrels on quarter-inch choke; Taylor Fithian's Joseph Orgeron No. 1, 100 barrels on 8 46-inch choke.

LaPlace field, St. John the Baptist parish, Pan-American Production company's Henry H. Chaffe (Mill) No. 1, 138 barrels on quarter-inch choke.

North Crowley field, Acadia parish, Humble Oil and Refining company's R. C. Davis No. 2, 218.76 barrels on three-sixteenths-inch choke.

Rodessa field, Caddo parish, V. A. Hardin (Scout Oil company) Glassell-Means No. 1, 168 barrels, open and Sultana Drilling company's B. H. Bain et al, 87 barrels on half-inch choke.

Permits issued for south Louisiana included:

Acadia parish, Humble Oil and Refining company.

Avoyelles parish, Sid W. Richardson.

Beauregard parish, Republic Production company (two permits).

Cameron parish, Union Sulphur company, American Petroleum corporation, Superior Oil company.

East Baton Rouge parish, William Helis et al, 1905 feet east and 205 feet north of the northeast corner of section 65-7S-1W, in section 45-7S-1E.

Evangeline parish, Continental Oil company (three permits).

Iberia parish, Lisbon Iberia Oil corporation.

Jefferson Davis parish, Union Sulphur company.

Lafourche parish, Taylor Fithian, Berkshire Oil company, Mikton Oil company, E. H. Stickney, Golden Meadow Oil corporation and Fred Shields.

Plaquemines parish, Gulf Refining company, Freeport Sulphur company.

Rapides parish, Sid W. Richardson, Gulf Refining company.

St. Landry parish, the Texas company.

St. Mary parish, H. J. de Arman et al (four permits).

Vermilion parish, Continental Oil company.

Bossier parish, Mary Lena Stockall.

Caddo parish, Irvan Wright, True Cauble, L. R. Baker and N. Wisman; H. H. Granemann.

Claiborne parish, E. T. Oakes and Harry Standrup.

Union parish, Memphis Natural Gas company; H. L. Woods, trustee.

Cottonseed Oil

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 9.—(AP)—Cottonseed oil closed steady. Bleachable prime summer yellow 6.80 nominal; prime crude 5.75-6.00. Dec. 6.22b; Jan. 6.26b; March 6.46b; May 6.56b; July 6.66b.

(b)—Bid.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—(AP)—Bleachable cottonseed oil futures closed 1-5 higher. Sales 30 contracts. December 6.75B; January 6.80; March 6.96B; May 7.07; July 7.16.

B—Bid.

NEW YORK STOCKS

By Victor Eubank

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—(AP)—Priming the rallying pump was difficult in today's stock market and leading issues shifted over a narrowly irregular range.

Traders had little in the way of outstanding news to go on. The majority seemed content to keep commitments at a minimum and await the dawn of a new week.

It was a typical Wall Street Saturday with attendance in boardrooms limited. Speed was lacking throughout, with transfers for the two hours around 250,000 shares.

A few steels, motors, rails, aircrafts and specialties managed to post fractional advances at one time or another, but minus marks were plentiful at the close and numerous stocks unchanged.

Brokers continued to blame dribbling year-end tax selling and foreign liquidation for the major part of the market's apathy. The obvious reluctance of important offerings to come out, however, was viewed as a constructive omen.

Steels had the benefit of forecasts next week's mill operations probably would remain near the present capacity rate.

(FINAL QUOTATIONS)

Air Reduction	56 1/2
Alaska Juneau	6 7/8
Alleghany Corporation	1 1/8
Allegheny-Ludlum Steel	22 1/8
Allied Stores	9 3/8
Allis-Chalmers Manufacturing	39 1/2
American Can	111 3/4
American Commercial Alcohol	7 1/2
American & Foreign Power	2 1/8
American Metal	25
American Rad & St S	9 5/8
American Rolling Mills	17
American Smelting & Refining	51 1/4
American Snuff Company	68
American Steel Foundries	33 3/4
American Tel & Tel	170 1/4
American Tobacco B	83
American Water Works	11 5/8
American Woolen	10 1/8
American Zinc L & S	7 1/8
Anaconda Copper	30 5/8
Armour Illinois	5 3/4
Armstrong Cork	38 1/2
Associated Dry Goods	8 1/4
Atchison T & S F	25
Atlantic Coast Line	23 1/8
Atlantic Refining	21 1/8
Atlas Corporation	8 1/8
Aviation Corporation	7 1/8
Baldwin Locomotive ctf	17 3/8
Baltimore & Ohio	6
Barnsdall Oil	12 1/8
Bendix Aviation	30
Bethlehem Steel	82 5/8
Blaw-Knox Company	11 1/2
Boeing Airplane	22 1/2
Borden Company	20 3/4
Borg-Warner Corporation	25 1/4
Bridgeport Brass	12
Briggs Manufacturing	22 1/8
Brooklyn-Manhattan Transit	14 3/4
Bucyrus-Erie	9 5/8
Budd Manufacturing	5 1/2
Budd Wheel	5 1/2
Burroughs Adding Machine	12
California Packing	22
Callahan Z-Lead	1 1/2
Calumet & Hecla	6 3/4
Canada Dry Ginger Ale	16 1/4
Canadian Pacific	5 1/8
Case J I Company	72 1/2
Caterpillar Tractor	55 1/2
Celanese Corporation	27 1/4
Celotex Corporation	10 7/8
Cerro De Pasco	39 1/2
Chesapeake & Ohio	41 1/2
Chicago & North Western	5/8
C M St P & P	3/8
C M St P & P pf	5/8
Childs Company	5 1/4
Chrysler Corporation	87 3/4
Coca-Cola Corporation	119 3/4
Colgate-Palm-Peet	16 1/2
Columbia Gas & Electric	6 1/4
Commercial Credit	45 5/8
Commercial Investment Trust	51 5/8
Commercial Solvents	13 1/4
Commonwealth & Southern	1 1/4
Consolidated Edison	30 1/8
Consolidated Oil	7 1/8
Container Corporation	16 3/4
Continental Bakeries B	1 1/4
Continental Can	43
Continental Insurance	38 1/4
Continental Motors	4
Continental Oil Delaware	22 5/8
Corn Products	62 3/8
Coty Incorporated	4 1/2
Crane Company	24 1/8
Crown Zellerbach	17
Cuban-American Sugar	7 1/8
Curtiss-Wright	10 3/8
Curtiss-Wright A	28 3/8
Deere & Company	22 1/8
Delaware & Hudson	24
Delaware Lack & Western	5 3/8
Dome Mines	22 1/2
Douglas Aircraft	76 3/4
Du Pont De Nemours	180
Electric Auto Lite	37 1/4
Electric Boat	15 1/4
Electric Power & Light	7
Electric Power & Light pf	30 1/4
Endicott-Johnson Company	45
Engineers Public Service	11 1/2
Erie Railroad	1 3/4
Evans Products	9 1/8
Flintkote Company	22
Foster Wheeler	18 1/4
Freeport Sulphur	31 3/4
General Electric	38 7/8
General Foods	46 5/8
General Gas & Electric A	5/8
General Motors	53 1/2
General Railway Signal	19 1/4
Gillette Safety Razor	6
Gimbel Brothers	9 1/2
Goodrich B F	19 7/8
Goodyear Tire & Rubber	24 1/8
Graham-Paige Motor	1
Great Northern Iron Ore ctf	18 1/4
Great Northern Railway pf	27 3/8
Greyhound Corporation	17 1/2
Hecker Products	10
Homestake Mining	60
Houd-Hershey B	13 1/4
Houston Oil	5 3/4
Illinois Central	13 1/4
Industrial Rayon	27 3/4
Ingersoll Rand	111 1/4
Inspirational Copper	13 3/4
Interlake Iron	12 1/8
International Harvester	60 1/4
International Hydro-Electric A	4 3/4
International Mer Marine	8 1/2
International Nickel Can	36 3/8
International Paper & Power	49 7/8
International Tel & Tel	4 1/8
Johns-Manville Products	76
Kansas City Southern pf	7 1/8
Kennecott Copper	38 3/4
Kresge S S	23 7/8
Kroger Grocery	28 1/4
Lehigh Port C	22
Libbey-Owens-Ford Glass	49
Liggett & Myers B	101 1/4
Loew's Incorporated	33 3/8
Lone Star Cement	46 1/4
Long-Bell Lumber A	3 3/8
Louisville & Nashville	58
Mack Trucks	29
Macy R H Company	30
Marine Midland	5
Marshall Field	15
Mathieson Alkali	29
Miami Copper	10 1/4
Mid Cont Pet	14
Mission Corporation	9 1/2
Missouri Kansas & Texas	1 1/8
Missouri Kansas & Texas pf	4 5/8
Missouri Pacific	1/2
Montgomery Ward	54 3/8
Motor Wheel	15 7/8
Murray Corporation	5 5/8
Nash-Kelvinator	6 3/8
National Biscuit	22 3/8
National Cash Register	15 1/4
National Dairy Products	15 7/8
National Distillers	24
National Lead	20 1/2
National Power & Light	8 1/8
National Steel	61 1/2
National Supply	9 5/8
Newport Industries	13
New York Central Railroad	18 3/8
N Y N H & H	1/2
Norfolk & Western	202 1/2
North America Aviation	25 1/8
North America Company	22 1/8
Northern Pacific	9 1/8
Ohio Oil	6 5/8
Oliver Farm Equipment	22
Otis Steel	11 7/8
Owens-Illinois Glass	63 1/4
Pacific Gas & Electric	32 5/8
Packard Motor	3 1/2
Paramount Pictures	7 3/4
Pathe Film	10 3/8
Pennsylvania Railroad	22 3/8
Phelps-Dodge	40 1/4
Philip Morris	90 1/2
Phillips Petroleum	40 3/8
Pittsburgh Screw & Bolt	7 7/8
Procter & Gamble	63 1/2
Public Service New Jersey	39 3/4
Pullman Company	33 1/8
Pure Oil	8 5/8
Purity Bakeries	14 1/8
Radio Corporation of America	5 1/2
Radio-Keith-Orph	1 1/2
Remington Rand	10 5/8
Reo Motor Car	2
Republic Steel	23 1/2
Reynolds Tobacco B	38 1/2
Safeway Stores	47 1/8
Schenley Distillers	13
Seaboard Air Line	1/8
Seaboard Oil	18 5/8
Sears Roebuck	80 1/8
Servel Incorporated	15
Shell Union Oil	12 1/8
Skelly Oil	19 1/8
Socony-Vacuum Oil	11 3/8
Southern Pacific	15 3/8
Southern Railway	19 3/4
Sparks Withington	2 3/8
Sperry Corporation	45 7/8
Spiegel Incorporated	11 1/8
Standard Brands	5 5/8
Standard Gas & Electric $4 pf	6 1/2
Standard Oil California	25 1/8
Standard Oil Indiana	26 1/8
Standard Oil New Jersey	44 3/8
Stewart-Warner Corporation	8 3/8
Stone & Webster	11 3/8
Studebaker Corporation	8 1/2
Sunshine Mining	9 7/8
Superior Oil	2 1/4
Tennessee Corporation	6 5/8
Texas Corporation	44 3/8
Texas Gulf Sulphur	33 1/2
Texas Pacific C & O	8 5/8
Thompson-Starrett	2 1/2
Tide-Water A Oil	10 1/4
Timken-Detroit Axle	24 1/8
Timken Roller Bearing	49
Transamerica Company	6 1/4
Trans & West Air	11 1/2
Tri-Cont Corp	2 3/4
Twentieth Century-Fox Film	12 3/8
Union Bag & Paper	12 1/8
Union Carbide	86 3/4
Union Oil California	16 1/4
Union Pacific	98 1/2
United Air Lines	14 3/8
United Aircraft	45 1/2
United Corporation	2 3/8
United Drug	4 3/4
United Fruit	84 1/2
United Gas Imp	14 3/8
U S Gypsum	81 3/4
United States Industrial Alcohol	22 1/4
United States Rubber	41
United States Smelt R & M	67 1/2
United States Steel	68
United Stores A	2
Vanadium Corporation	33 5/8
Wabash Railway	1
Walworth Company	6 1/4
Warner Brothers Pictures	3 7/8
Wesson Oil & Snowdrift	22 1/4
Wesson Oil & Snowdrift pf	66
Western Union Telegraph	26 1/4
Westinghouse Air Brake	28 1/4
White Motor	12 1/8
White Rk M Sp	6 1/4
Woolworth F W	37 3/4
Yellow Truck & Coach	18 7/8
Youngstown Sheet & Tube	48 5/8
Zenith Radio	16 3/4
Zonite Products	2 3/8

MARKETS AT A GLANCE

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—(AP)—Stocks, slightly mixed; leaders continue to drift. Bonds, narrow; pressure relaxes against Scandinavian issues. Foreign exchange, steady; Sweden and Norway monies drop. Cotton, firm; general buying and covering. Sugar, easy; Cuban selling, commission house liquidation. Metals, slow; slack demand for copper, lead, zinc. Wool tops, irregular; commission houses on both sides.

CHICAGO—Higher; no drouth relief. Corn, higher. Cattle, steady. Hogs, 10-20 lower.

Livestock

CHICAGO, Dec. 9.—(AP)—(USDA)—Salable hogs 500; total 6,500; only a few small lots and loads on sale; hardly enough to test conditions; undertone weak, however, and few sales 10-20 lower than Friday's average; good and choice 210-280 lbs. averages 5.00-35.

Salable cattle 100; calves 100; compared Friday last week: good and choice medium weight and heavy fed steers 25-50 higher, big weights scaling over 1,500 lbs. showing full advance; all yearlings and good to choice handy light steers strong to 25 up; common and medium grade steers weak to 25 lower, price dividing line now being around 8.50; choice heifers scarce, strong; other grades 25 lower; beef cows 10-15 off; canners and cutters steady; sausage bulls 25-40 higher, but heavy fat bulls slow, steady; after working 25-50 higher vealers lost part of advance; strictly grain-fed steers and long yearlings and warmed-up and short-fed heifers predominated in receipts.

Salable sheep 3,500; total 3,500; late Friday: good to choice handy and medium weight lambs steady to strong, others slow, easier in spots; top 9.50; bulk 9.10-9.25; sheep steady, slaughter ewes 3.75-4.50. Compared Friday last week: fat lambs fully 15-25 higher, yearlings sharing upturn; sheep steady; week's lamb top 9.50 paid at close.

Sugar

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—(AP)—Domestic sugar futures were easier in quiet trading today. Cuban liquidation and commission house selling met little support from either refiners or professionals. Lack of definite Washington news on the 1940 sugar program contributed to a cautious tendency.

World contracts also were moderately lower, reflecting a little speculative and European liquidation. Demand came principally through wire house and commission interests.

No open offerings of raw sugar were reported. Cubas were unchanged at the last sale price of 3.29 cents, duty paid. Refined was quiet at 4.70 cents.

Futures No. 3 closed unchanged to 1 lower. Sales 4,000 tons. Closed: May 1.95B; July 1.98B.

No. 4 closed 1-2 to 1 1-2 lower; May 1.57B.

B—Bid.

Many farm boys make extra money by trapping, say the New York State College of Agriculture and Home Economics.

DAILY COTTON TABLE

Port movement:	Mdlg.	Receipts	Exports	Sales	Stocks
New Orleans	10.52	13,447	1,000	3,110	754,544
Galveston	10.40	8,651	....	285	878,996
Mobile	10.32	392	....	......	53,150
Savannah	10.60	189	....	39	123,670
Charleston	10.58	287	4,534	......	52,019
Wilmington	.....	....	....	......	9,668
Norfolk	10.50	104	....	49	28,213
Baltimore	.....	....	....	......	1,025
New York	10.69	....	....	4,700	1,650
Boston	.....	....	....	......	782
Houston	10.40	6,764	22,712	11,822	846,710
Corpus Christi	.....	....	....	......	52,853
Minor ports	.....	....	....	......	320,033
Total Saturday	.....	29,834	28,246	20,005	3,123,312
Total for season	.....	4,158,994	2,635,459		

Interior movement:	Mdlg.	Receipts	Shpmnts.	Sales	Stocks
Memphis	10.20	15,793	15,718	33,254	970,963
Augusta	10.49	180	716	522	154,126
St. Louis	.....	1,990	1,990	......	3,756
Little Rock	10.10	520	1,247	443	164,604
Dallas	10.04	....	....	10,429	....
Montgomery	10.25	....	....	187	....
Atlanta	10.30	....	....	......	....
Total Saturday	.....	18,481	19,671	44,835	1,293,449

World Classified Ads

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Lost, Found, Strayed 2

LOST—On south side, pet racoon. One year old. Finder phone 4417. Reward.

FOUND—GOOD BREAD
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DOROTHY WEST BARHAM.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to express our sincere and heart-felt thanks to our relatives and friends for the kindness and sympathy shown us during the illness and death of our dear mother and sister, Ellen Martin. We also want to thank the Dixie Funeral Home many times for the kind, courteous service rendered.
HENRY MARTIN, Son.
BEN MARTIN, Son.
MRS. T. B. ALLEN, Daughter.
W. H. NORMAN, Half-Brother.
JIM NORMAN, Half-Brother.
CHARLIE NORMAN, Half-Brother.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of thanking all of our friends, neighbors, relatives, and the Dixie Funeral Home for the many acts of kindness and sympathy shown to us during the death of our father, Jeremiah S. Hendrix, Sr.
THE HENDRIX FAMILY.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to take this method of expressing our thanks to our many friends and neighbors for the lovely floral designs, telegrams, telephone calls, and words of sympathy shown to us during the illness and death of our husband, father and brother, W. F. Stovall.

We are especially grateful to Rev. C. K. Smith and the Dixie Funeral Home for their many acts of kindness.
THE STOVALL FAMILY.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all our many friends and neighbors for their kindness and expressions of sympathy shown us during the illness and death of our twin babies, Annie Clorice and Annie Cletore Tisdale.

We are especially grateful to Rev. N. T. Smith for his kindness and sympathy shown us by his constant calling on our babies at all hours of the night.

We also want to extend our everlasting gratitude to the Dixie Funeral Home for their splendid service and kindness which greatly lightened our burden in our hours of bereavement.
MR. & MRS. W. R. TISDALE & FAMILY.

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CONTRACTORS

Carpenters and Contractors 9

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CHICAGO GRAIN

CHICAGO, Dec. 9.—(AP)—Cash wheat no sales reported.

Corn No. 1 yellow 55 3-4 to 56 1-2; No. 5 52 3-4; No. 1 white 63 1-4; No. 2 63 1-2.

Oats No. 2 white 41 3-4 to 42 1-4; No. 3 40 3-4 to 41; sample 38 1-2.

Soy beans No. 2 yellow 1.08 1-4; No. 3 1.07 to 07 1-2; sample 1.04 1-2.

Timothy seed 3.15-4.15 nominal.
Red top 8.50-9.00 nominal.
Alsike 14.00-17.00 nominal.
Alfalfa 17.50-22.50 nominal.

Wheat closed 7-8 to 1 5-8 cents higher than yesterday, December 97 5-8; May 94 7-8 to 95; corn 1-4 to 5-8 up, December 54 1-4 to 3-8, May 55 3-4 to 7-8; oats 1-4 to 5-8 higher.

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—				
Dec.	.97 1/4-3/8	.98 1/4	.97	.97 3/8
May	.93 7/8-94	.95 1/4	.93 7/8	.94 7/8-95
July	.91 7/8	.93 3/8	.91 7/8	.92 7/8-93
CORN—				
Dec.	.54	.54 3/8	.53 7/8	.54 1/4-3/8
May	.55 1/4-3/8	.55 7/8	.55 1/4	.55 3/4-7/8
July	.55 1/2-3/4	.56	.55 1/2	.55 3/4-7/8
OATS—				
Dec.	.39 3/4	.40 1/8	.39 3/4	.40 1/8
May	.37 3/8	.38 3/8	.37 3/8	.38 1/8
July	.33 7/8	.34 1/4	.33 7/8	.34 1/8
SOY BEANS—				
Dec.	1.08 1/4	1.08 1/2	1.08	1.08
May	1.07 1/2	1.08 1/2	1.07 1/2	1.08
July	1.05 1/2	1.06 1/4	1.05 3/8	1.05 1/4
RYE—				
Dec.	.62 7/8	.63 1/8	.62 3/4	.63
May	.64 1/2	.63	.61 3/8	.62 3/4
July	.61	.62 1/4	.60 7/8	.61 3/4
LARD—				
Dec.	....	....	....	6.20
Jan.	....	....	....	6.30
Mch.	6.67	6.72	6.67	6.72
May	6.85	6.90	6.80	6.85
July	7.02	7.07	6.97	7.00
BELLIES—				
Jan.	....	....	....	6.85

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MISSISSIPPI			
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Memphis	34	0.5	0.1 Rise
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Arkansas City	42	0.0	0.0
Vicksburg	43	-5.7	0.1 Fall
Natchez	48	-0.5	0.2 Fall
Angola	45	1.9	0.1 Fall
Baton Rouge	35	2.5	0.1 Rise
OUACHITA			
Camden	26	4.5	0.0
Monroe	40	14.3	0.1 Fall
OHIO			
Pittsburgh	25	16.5	0.1 Fall
Cincinnati	52	12.8	1.0 Fall
Cairo	40	6.5	0.2 Rise
TENNESSEE			
Chattanooga	30	8.3	0.0
ARKANSAS			
Fort Smith	22	..	..
Little Rock	23	-1.1	0.0
RED			
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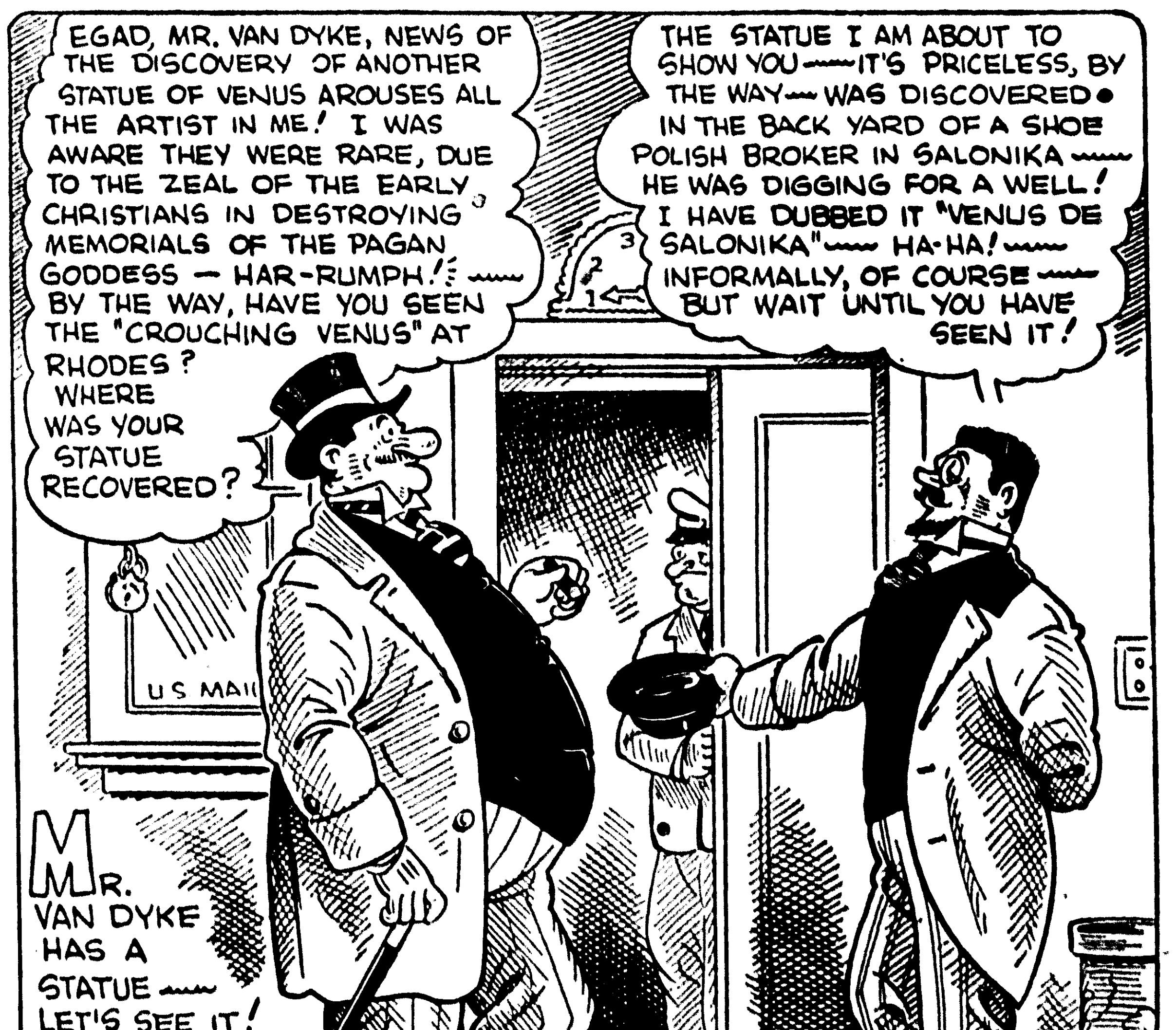

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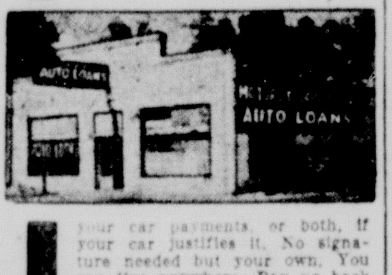

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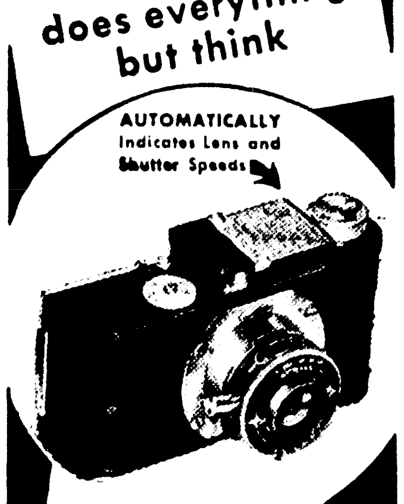

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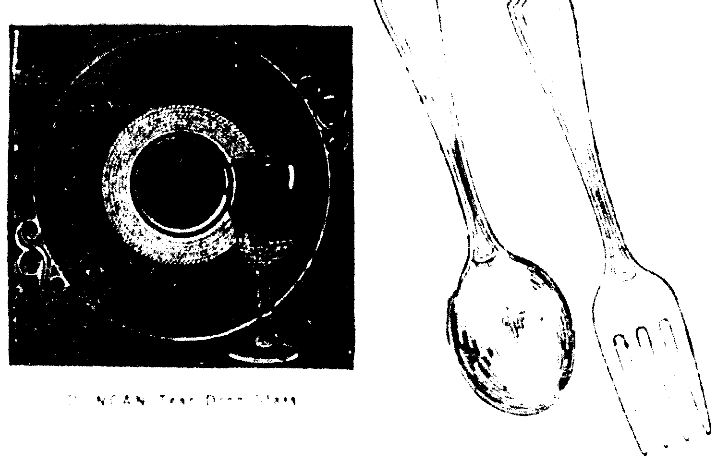

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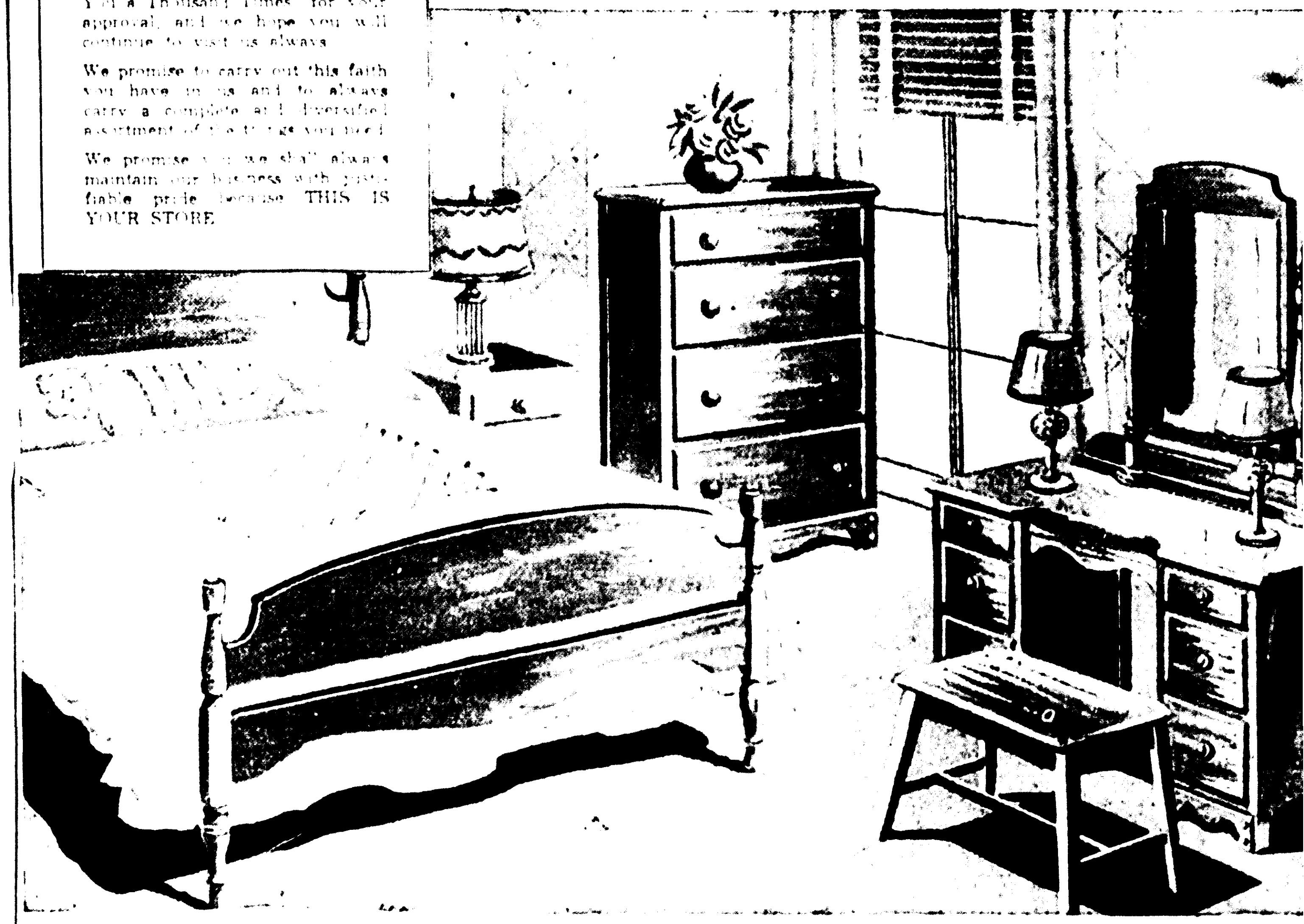

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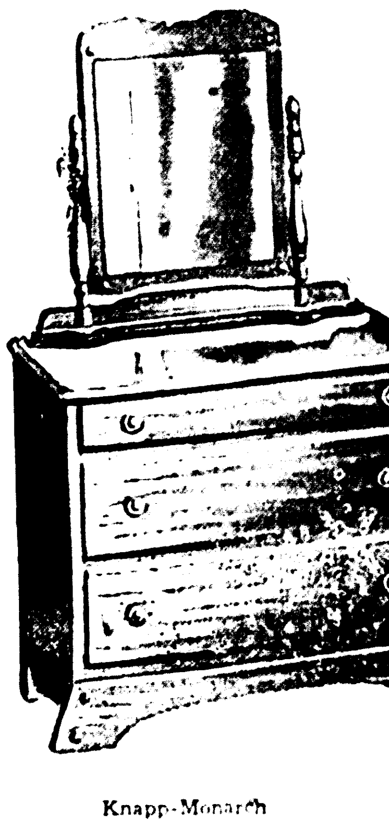

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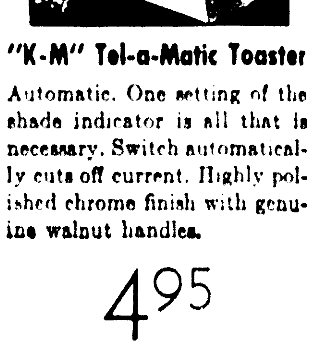

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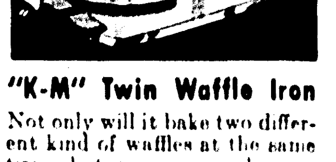

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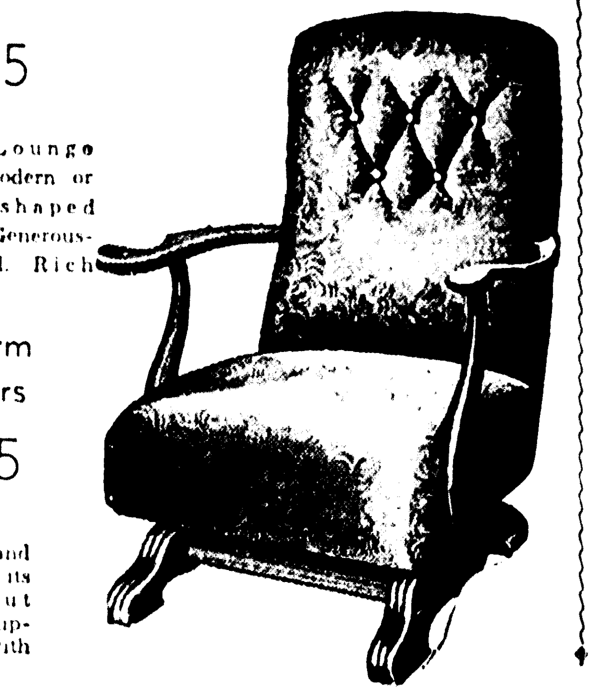

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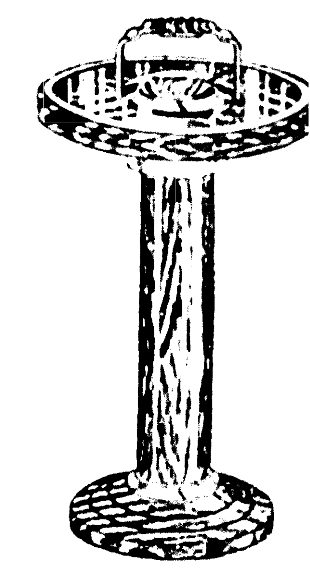

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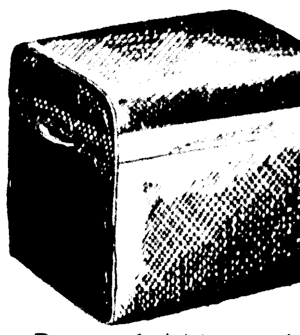

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"Obligations of a Citizenship in a Republic" will be the subject of the address. This lecture is sponsored by the Clarks P.-T. A. unit program committee, of which C. C. Sheppard, president and general manager of the Louisiana Central Lumber company at Clarks is chairman. Admission to the lecture will be free, and the public is extended a cordial invitation to come to Clarks to hear the noted speaker.

Mr. Rand came with his parents to Bond, Miss., from Onalaska, Wis., at the age of seven. He was educated in Mississippi schools, graduating from Mississippi State college in 1911. Two years later he was graduated from Harvard. After doing some special work as a student in the Harvard law school, he traveled as a salesman in the east. In 1918 he returned to Mississippi and began the practice of law in Jackson.

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In connection with visual analysis of school children, Dr. Sheridan said:

"When the first few days of the fall term of school are over and the first grade teacher has become more or less acquainted with her group, there often comes a feeling of helplessness when she realizes that a certain number of pupils are apparently not ready for reading instruction. The feeling of helplessness comes from the fact that she senses her responsibility and yet past experience has proven that from eight to 25 per cent are going to fail at the end of the first year. She is vague in her own thinking as to why children of normal and above normal intelligence fail; quite often becoming problem cases.

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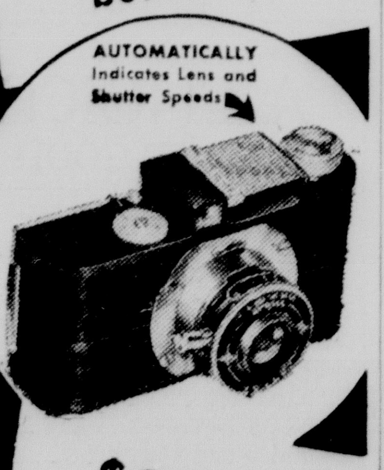

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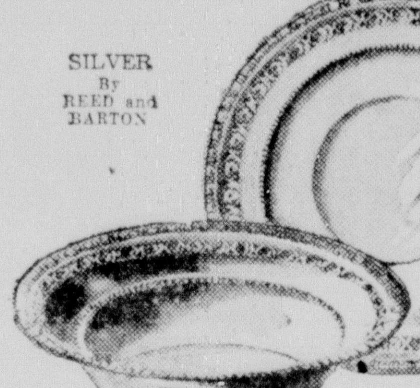

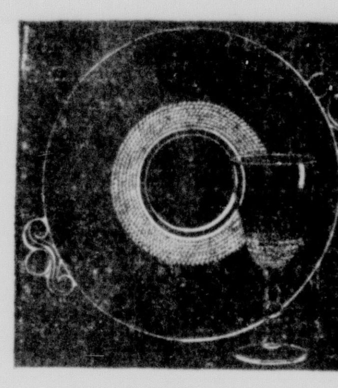

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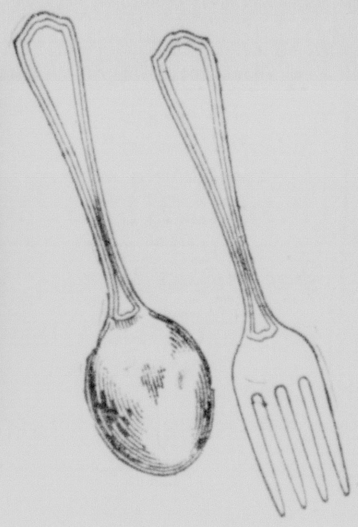

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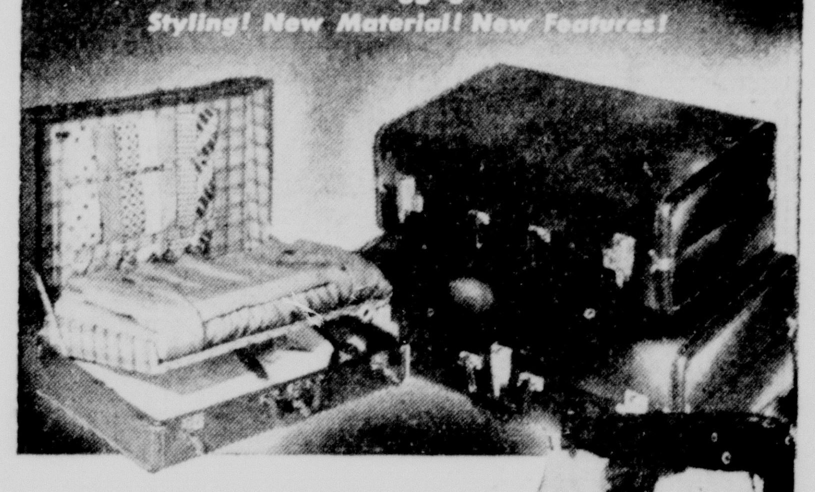

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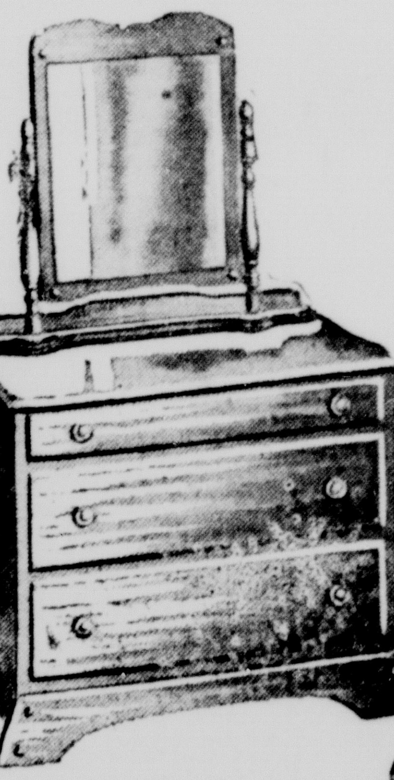

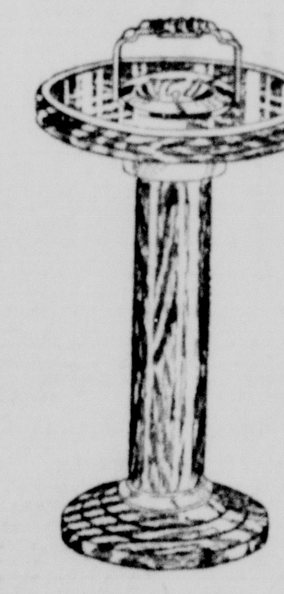

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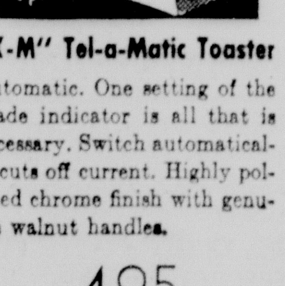

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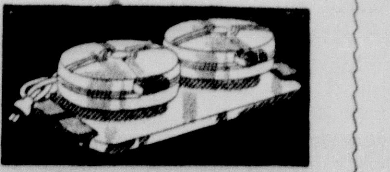

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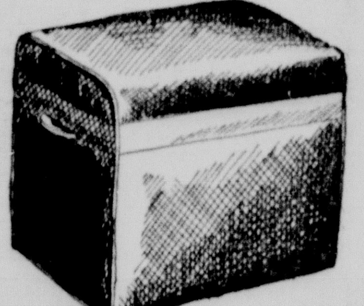

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"Miss Smith will have as her only attendant her sister, Miss Margaret Smith, and Mr. Hall has asked his brother, Mr. Lindsay Hall of Abbeville, to be best man.

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Phi Kappas' Annual Ball Is Outstanding

Delta Beta Sigma Tea Dansante Will Be Another Gala Event Of Christmas Season

By Eve Bradford

THE Christmas season again! The heartiest and most joyous—the tenderest and most significant of all festivals in the Christian world. And the most mysterious, for no one knows who first celebrated it, nor when, nor where. We do know, however, that as long back as anyone can remember it has been the season for contacts with old friends, who clasp one's hand and wish one joy and seem to really mean it.

These are the days when the postman is due with precious invitations to one or the other of all the holiday dances. The Phi Kappa fraternity Christmas ball, now a tradition in Monroe, to date stands unrivaled as to beauty of detail, glamor, social interest and attendance. The Delta Beta Sigma tea dansante is another annual Christmas gala event that brings out the younger set arrayed like Solomon in all his glory.

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Downtown Monroe has been enjoying the pre-Christmas season for a week but the dazzling beauty of lighted Christmas trees and homes in the residential districts is yet to come. In another week, Monroe will be completely encircled with a chain of twinkling lights and everyone will enjoy a short period of complete relaxation each evening, driving by homes where the spirit of Christmas is portrayed in home decorations.

Last week thousands of shoppers thronged the downtown streets, stores and shops. Christmas lists were brought out and checked and busy buyers hurried from counter to counter.

The first week in December was indeed a success in the shopping world, if tinkling cash registers, armloads of packages and deplenished bargain counters are an indication. Department store Santa Clauses held court with long lines of youngsters waiting their turn to whisper needs and wishes. Salvation Army workers sat by their black kettles bearing the "keep the pot boiling" signs. Many a nickel and a dime dropped into the kettle to the accompaniment of the tinkling bell.

Buses were jammed with shoppers, and parking lots were filled to capacity with automobiles and traffic cops on every corner were busier than they have ever been before. Children intent on purchasing their gifts "before they were all gone," roamed the shops without parental restraint. They had been saving allowances for Christmas shopping and they saw no reason for delay.

Mothers who wanted to see what their infants wanted from Santa Claus took them to the top departments to watch reactions. Of course the toy that they grabbed first will be the one they will find in their stocking Chirstmas morning.

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Regardless of what you have planned to do this week, simply drop everything and motor out to Northeast Junior college Tuesday night to see Ted Shawn and his company of men dancers in his spectacular "Dance of the Ages." Never before has Monroe been privileged to entertain such a celebrated artist and perhaps never again will we be privileged to see anything quite as artistic as the "Dance of the Ages."

Divided into four movements based on the ancient elements of fire, water, earth and air, Ted Shawn traces in dance form the development of man from primitive hunting through the generation of the first spark, the first dance, initiation, purification by fire and dispersing of the priests of fire to start fires on the hearthstones of the world.

The dance continues through three movements, climaxing with a movement based on the element of the air in which the creative artist plays the principal role.

Miss Smith To Wed William J. Hall, Jr.

The following announcement of the engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Ann Laura Smith of Baton Rouge, to Mr. William J. Hall, Jr., of Lake Charles, will be of interest in Monroe. Miss Smith is the granddaughter of Mrs. Curtis J. Smith of this city and has visited here on numerous occasions, having a wide acquaintance in Monroe.

Since her graduation at L. S. U., Miss Smith has been instructor in mathematics in the Baton Rouge High school.

"Mr. and Mrs. Leslie G. Smith, formerly of St. Francisville and now of Baton Rouge and Durango, Mexico, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Ann Laura, to Mr. William M. Hall, Jr., of Lake Charles, the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hall of Abbeville.

"The wedding will take place on December 23 at 4 o'clock in the afternoon in the Episcopal student center on the university campus and will be of much interest.

"Miss Smith will have as her only attendant her sister, Miss Margaret Smith, and Mr. Hall has asked his brother, Mr. Lindsay Hall of Abbeville, to be best man.

Miss Smith and Mr. Hall take an active part in the social activities of the younger set here She is a member of the Spinsters club and he belongs to the Southern club. They are both graduates of L. S. U. Miss Smith's sorority is Alpha Delta Pi, while Mr. Hall is a member of Sigma Nu fraternity.

"Mr. Hall's mother is the former Augusta Beale of Baton Rouge."

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Miss Howell Weds Milo Mattinson

Of interest to friends in this city is the following announcement which appeared recently in the Hot Springs New Era:

"Announcement is made of the marriage on Saturday evening, November 25, at 10 o'clock, of Miss Louise Howell of Monroe, La., daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Henry "Hook" Howell, of that city, and Mr. Milo Mattinson, son of Mrs. N. R. Dailey of Hot Springs and Monroe, at Pullman Heights Methodist parsonage. The pastor, Rev. C. D. Meux, performed the ceremony.

"Mrs. Mattinson wore a teal blue model with dubonnet accessories and corsage of sweetheart roses and valley lilies. She is a graduate of the Ouachita Parish High school at Monroe and for the past three years has been associated with the Interstate Natural Gas company of that city. Mr. Mattinson attended Neville High school, Monroe, and is associated with Club Belvedere. Mr. and Mrs. Mattinson are now at home at 8 Glen street."

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Mr. Henderson exhibited pictures of the murals he had completed at the Louisiana State university. He exhibited his final designs for his murals and told how one begins and executes a mural.

In the early part of September, 1939, Mr. Henderson completed a mural decoration executed in fresco on the three walls forming the stair well in the west end of Allen hall of Louisiana State university. The total area of the painting was 410 square feet.

Allen hall includes the dean's office, departmental offices, and classrooms that have to do with the college of arts and sciences. The function of the building suggested the subject matter used in the design—representation of the arts on the north wall, the sciences on the south wall, and the west wall a transition between the two. The plate shows the south wall representing sciences.

Allen hall is primarily used during the day time; for this reason natural lighting was given chief consideration in working out a color design. The south wall was flooded with a west light from the window. In the evening this light is a warm red light, due to reflections caused by the setting sun. Because of this, a color scheme consisting of dominant blue and green-grays was used. Too warm a coloring in the warm light would have been objectionable. For accents, variations of red were used for the purpose of exaggerating the warm light and making them glow on a background of cool gray.

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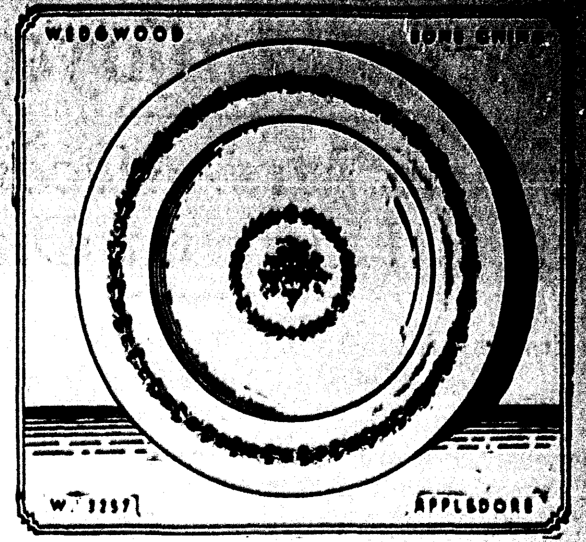

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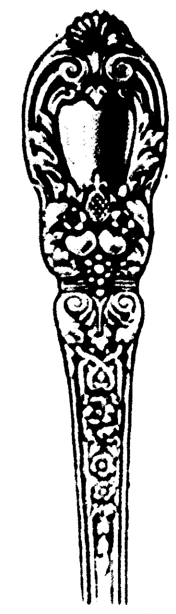

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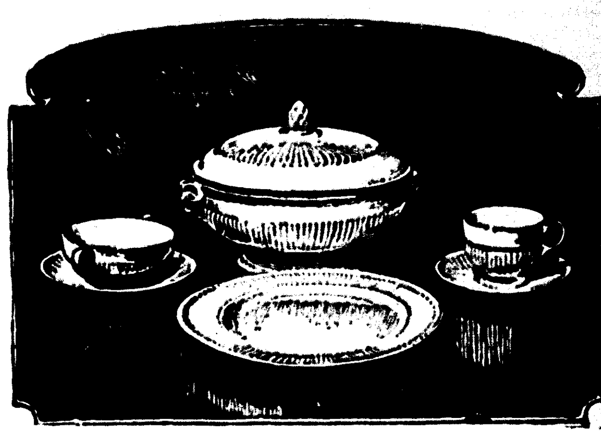

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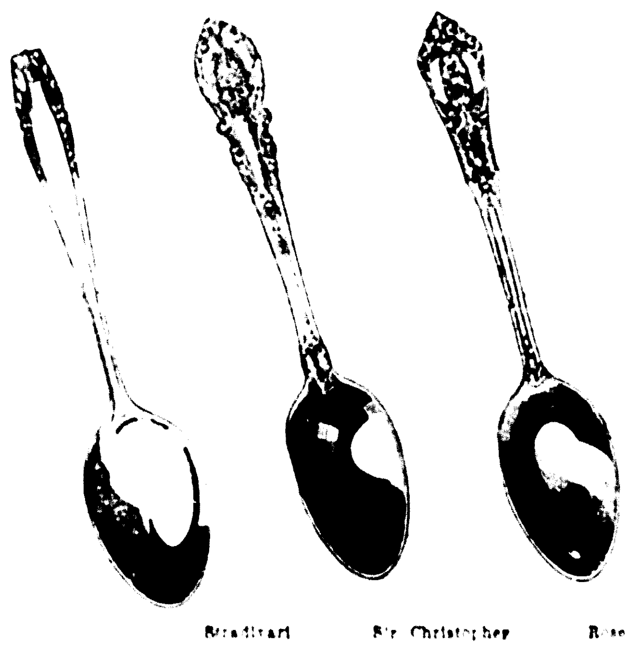

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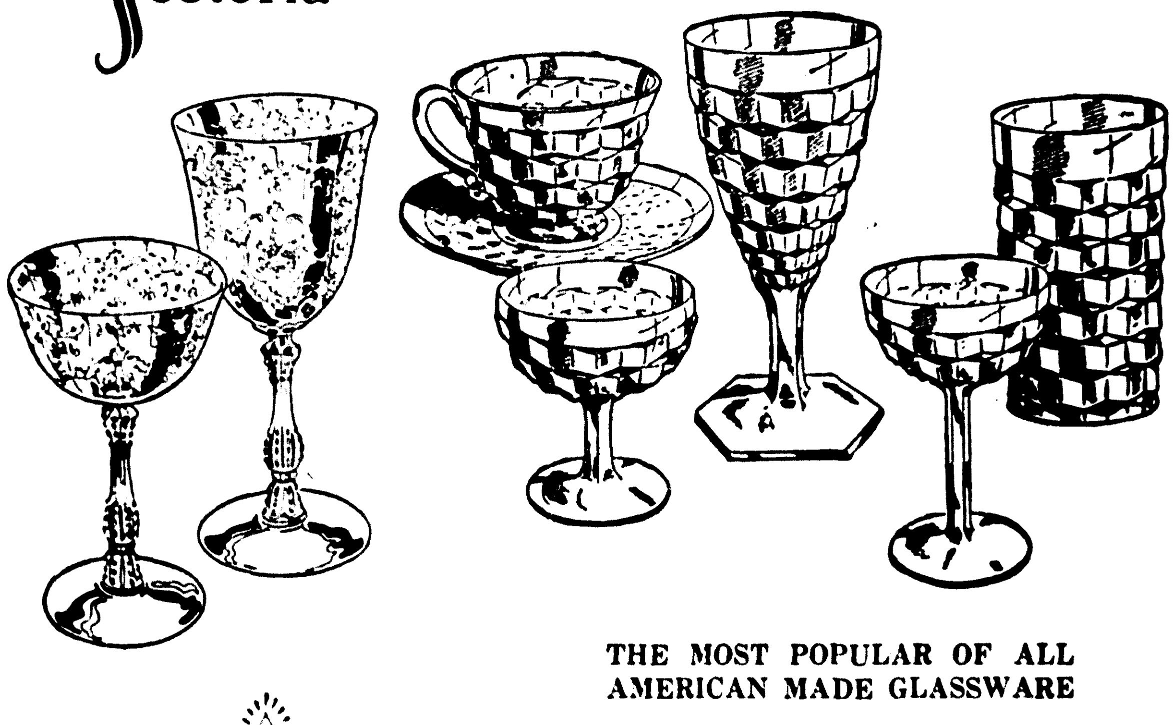

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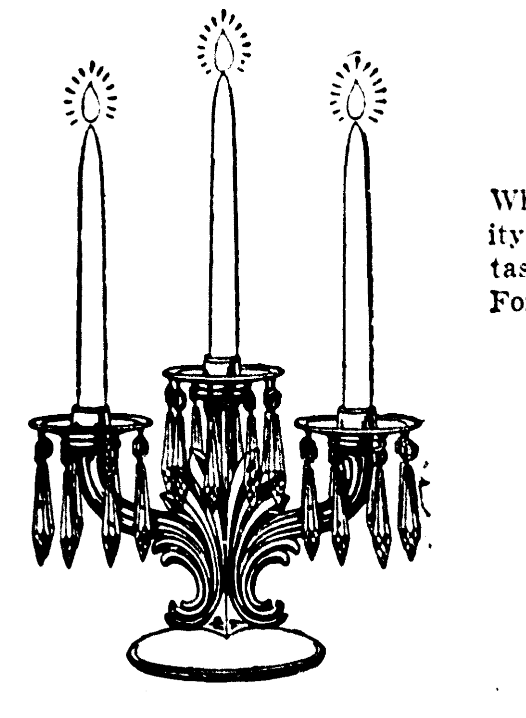

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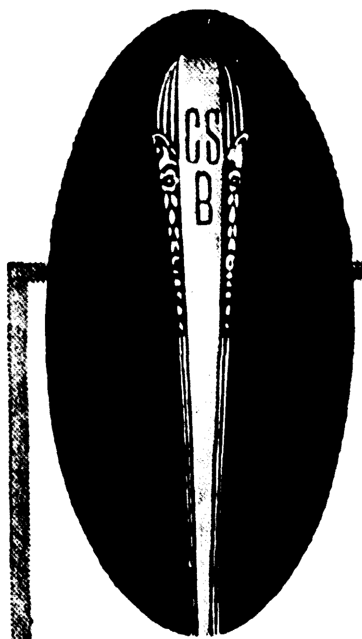

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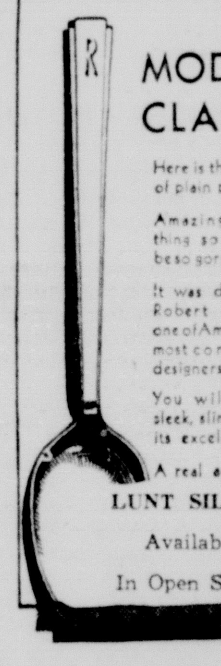

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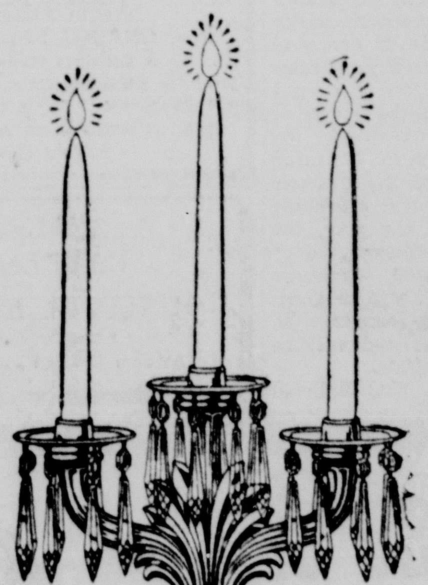

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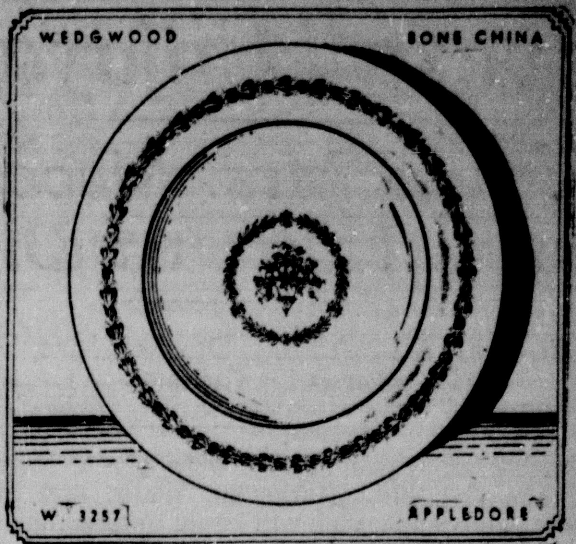

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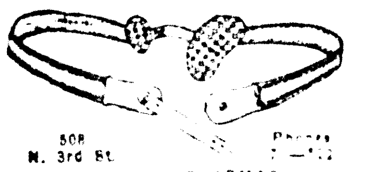

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Several enjoyable affairs were given during the past week, honoring Miss Katherine White and Mr. Kenneth Inabnett, whose marriage will be an outstanding social event during the pre-holiday season. On Monday evening, Miss White and Mr. Inabnett were guests of honor at a beautifully appointed dinner party given by Dr. and Mrs. Mecom of Clarks.

Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. J. Porter Burgess and daughter, Mrs. Bill Adams, entertained for Miss White, who was the recipient of a number of beautiful gifts. An appetizing chicken salad course was served during the afternoon to the following guests: Mrs. Amos Smelser, Mrs. Travis Oliver, Miss Minnie Cole, Mrs. Sam Jones, Mrs. Morton Braswell, Miss Billie Stroud, Mrs. Lenwood Inabnett, Mrs. Elliott Thompson, Mrs. Foster Wallace, Mrs. King Stubbs, Mrs. Walter Kellogg, Mrs. Carrick White, Mrs. Phelps Cole and the honoree, Miss White.

Dr. and Mrs. D. I. Hirsch and Mr. and Mrs. Abe Arent entertained Wednesday evening with an elaborately planned buffet supper for Miss White, Mr. Inabnett, and Dr. and Mrs. Prentice Gray. White chysanthemums were used in effective arrangement throughout the living room and dining room. An interesting arrangement of white autumn flowers centered the buffet and the lace-covered dining table, where silver trays heaped with turkey, hors d'ouvres and confections were served.

Enjoying this affair were Miss Louise Gray, Miss Edwina Joseph, Dr. and Mrs. Morgan Simonton, Mr. and Mrs. Lenwood Inabnett, Dr. C. P. Gray, Sr., Fred Fudickar, Victor Davis, Henry Haas, Jr., Mrs. Carrick White, Mrs. Phelps Cole and the guests of honor.

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Of interest to friends here is the announcement of the marriage of Miss Beatrice Brownlee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Brownlee of Monroe to Mr. Owen Mitchell Matthis, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Matthis of Bastrop.

The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride with Rev. I. R. Brooks, pastor of Calvary Baptist church, officiating.

The bride wore a lovely copen blue model with black accessories and a corsage of sweetheart roses.

After an informal reception Mr. and Mrs. Mathis left for Bastrop where Mr. Mathis is employed. They are making their home on South Washington street.

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Monroe Literary Club Holds Meeting

Mrs. R. P. McKay charmingly entertained members of the Monroe Literary club in her home Wednesday morning.

Mrs. P. E. Massey presided over the business meeting, after which Mrs. R. L. Ross, while displaying pictures, told of her trip to New York and Canada. Among the places visited were Stone mountain at Atlanta, Ga.; the home of Mary Washington, mother of George Washington, at Fredericksburg, Va.; the White House, capitol, and other government buildings at Washington.

Among the places mentioned of New York City were Broadway, Forty-second street, Wall Street, Eleventh and Times Square, the St. Paul's church, where Washington attended; the Old Trinity church, which was built in 1836, where Alexander Hamilton attended; the Cathedral of St. John the Divine, which has a seating capacity of 15,400, and the Little Church Around the Corner. The former homes of Jacob Gould, General Vanderbilt, and on "Millionaires Row" the homes of Al Smith, Alfred P. Sloan, Jacob, Astor, Sr., who perished on the Titanic.

She told of the picturesque beauty of the Hudson river drive, and of seeing the ship Normandie of the French line docked in the New York harbor. The Statue of Liberty; General Grant's tomb; the slums of New York; Chinatown, and of the exclusive shopping district.

Among the things mentioned of the fair were the foreign exhibits. She told of seeing the original Magna Charta, and a replica of the crown jewels in the British building. She told of the Perisphere, "Hall of Fashion"; "Temple of Religion," and of the "Amusement Zone," where one could see every type of amusement, the romantic, the realistic; the fantastic and impressive; the unique and the weird. She told of the water display at night of synchronized light, color and sound.

Refreshments were served to the following: Mrs. Carl Couch, Mrs. D. N. Barron, Mrs. A. E. Johnson, Mrs. R. L. Ross, Miss Beulah Doerr, Mrs. R. E. Wilson, Mrs. A. B. Colmer, Mrs. Sybil Lee, Mrs. R. P. McKay, Mrs. J. R. Roark, Mrs. H. A. Scott, Mrs. Floyd Matthews, Mrs. P. E. Massey and Mrs. S. E. Morris.

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With a double-deck Thanksgiving fading into a delightful, if somewhat hazy memory, Christmas once more looms up ahead of us, with all the beguiling witchery of a luring Lorelei. As usual, the social calendar, during that hectic period between Christmas and New Year will overflow with tea dansantes, the annual dances of the fraternities, open house affairs, intermission parties and week-end parties.

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With the Phi Kappa calendar going to press, other programs will be announced during the next week. Members of the college set are even now scanning the calendar of the home paper, with some loyal idea, perhaps, of saving a few precious moments of their time during the holidays, for mother and father. Yes—it looks like it's going to be a Merry Christmas!

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Mrs. Earl Cobb, who was, before her recent marriage, Miss Mary Nadine Morgan, was the lovely guest of honor at a tea last week given by Mrs. William Green Haynes, Jr., and Miss Dorothy Breard. The reception suite was beautifully decorated with gold and white chrysanthemums and Mrs. Cobb, who stood with the hostesses, receiving the guests, wore a becoming frock of aqua marine blue satin, fashioned with a shirred bodice and flaring skirt. Mrs. Haynes wore a smart model of black taffeta and Miss Breard wore blue lace. Mrs. George Morgan, mother of the bride, was dressed in a frock of black taffeta, with accessories of gold.

The madeira covered dining table was centered with a crystal bowl of yellow chrysanthemums, intermingled with glowing candles in pastel shades. Mrs. DeWitt Milam presided at the coffee service and wore a lovely frock of orchid and pink chiffon. Others assisting in extending courtesies to the guests were Mrs. B. B. Martin, who wore an American Beauty taffeta model, and Mrs. Durwood Phillips, who was dressed in a becoming model of black crepe.

Over one hundred guests called during the afternoon.

Club Will Sing Christmas Carols

A group of Christmas carols will be presented by members of the "A Sharp" club Monday evening, December 11, at the Y. W. C. A. club rooms, when the Girl Reserves of both the Ouachita Parish and Neville High schools meet for their joint Christmas program at the Y. W. C. A.

The following program will be presented by the "A Sharp" girls under the direction of Mrs. J. B. Kugler, counsellor:

Paper, "Story of the Christmas Carol," Katherine Kugler; carols, "Angels From the Realm of Glory," "God Rest You, Merry Gentlemen," "We Three Kings of Orient Are," soloists, Bennie Hughes, Mary Frances Calhoun and Clarice Slagle; "Silent Night," "What Child Is This?" "Good King Wenceslas," soloists, Louise Gail McDonald and Louise Rinehart; "Deck the Hall," "Come With Torches, Jeanette Isabella," "Away in a Manger," soloist, Jessie Lee Touchstone; "Adeste Fidelis," "O, Sanctissima," "See Amid the Winter's Snow," soloist, Louise Ford Rinehart; "O, Little Town of Bethlehem," soloist, Betty Jean Hardeman.

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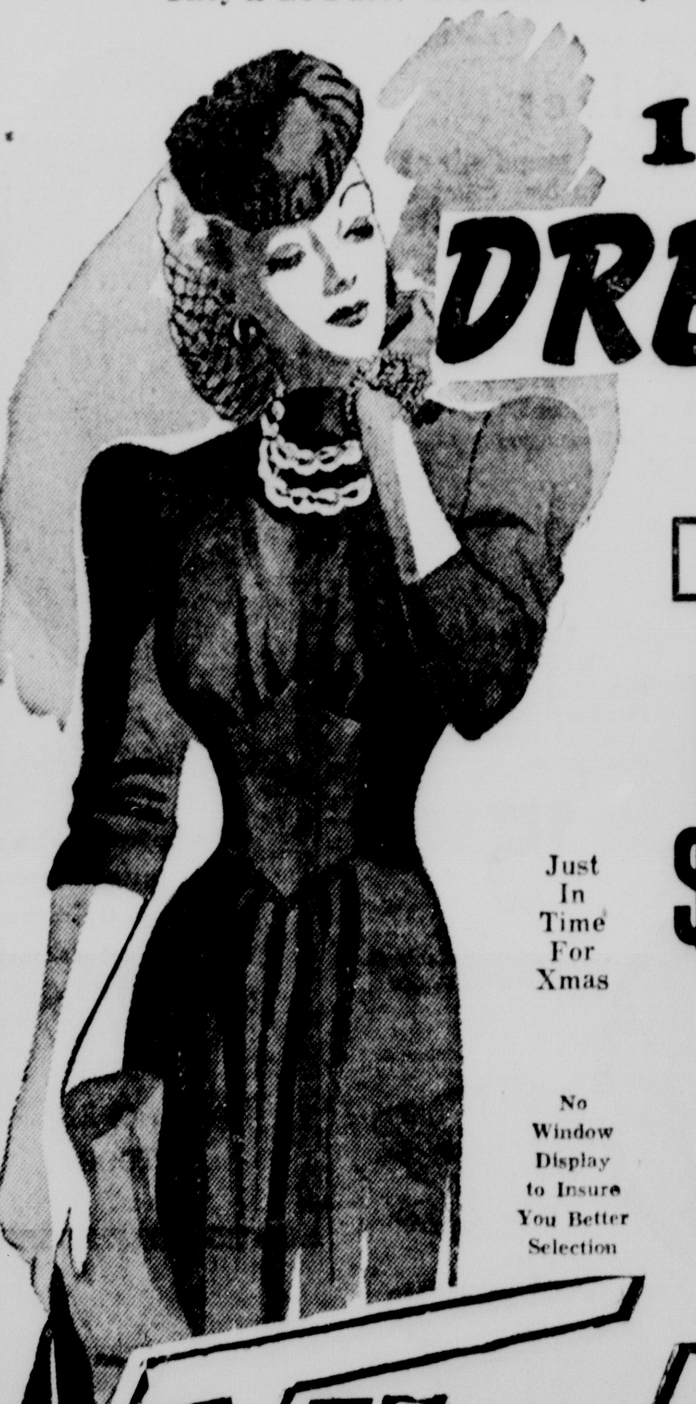

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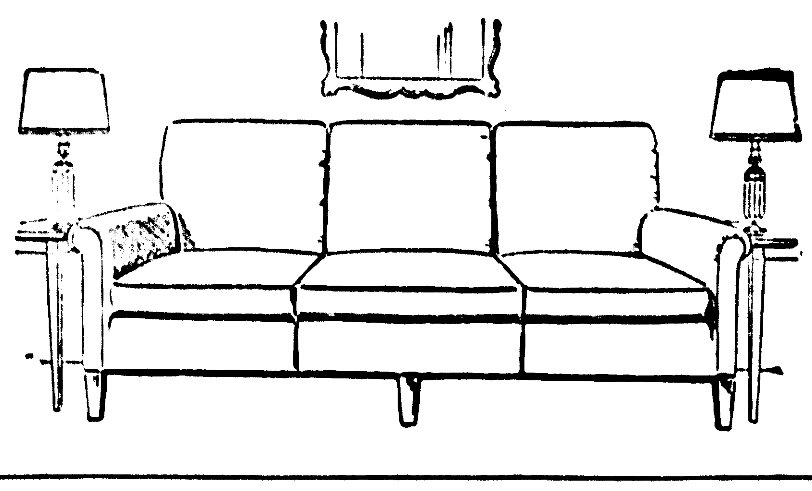

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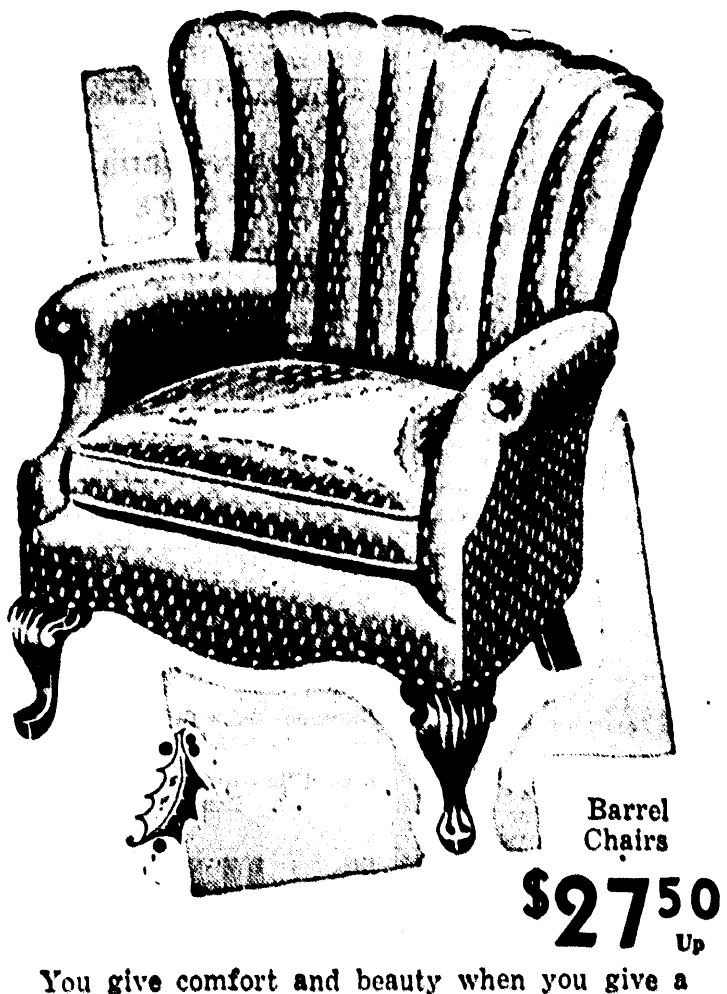

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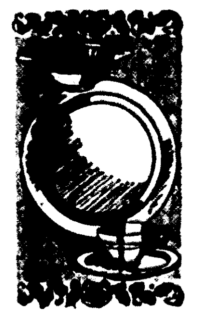

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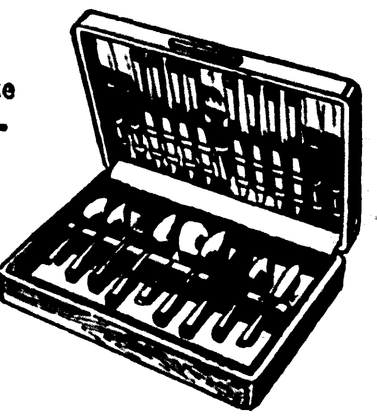

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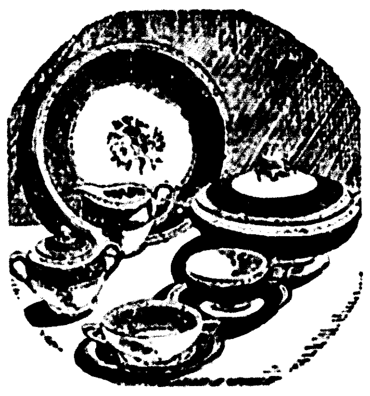

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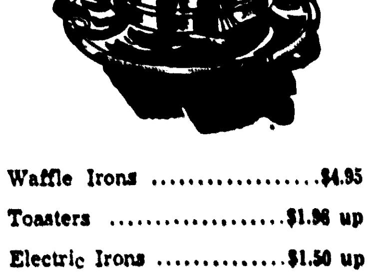

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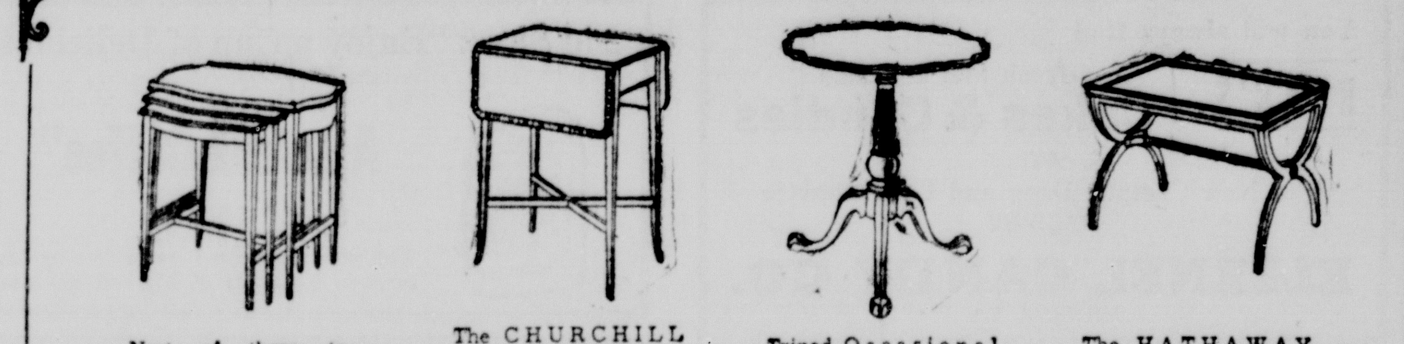

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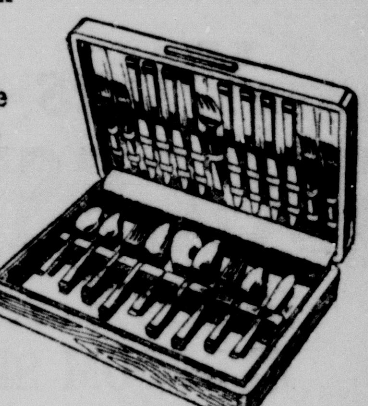

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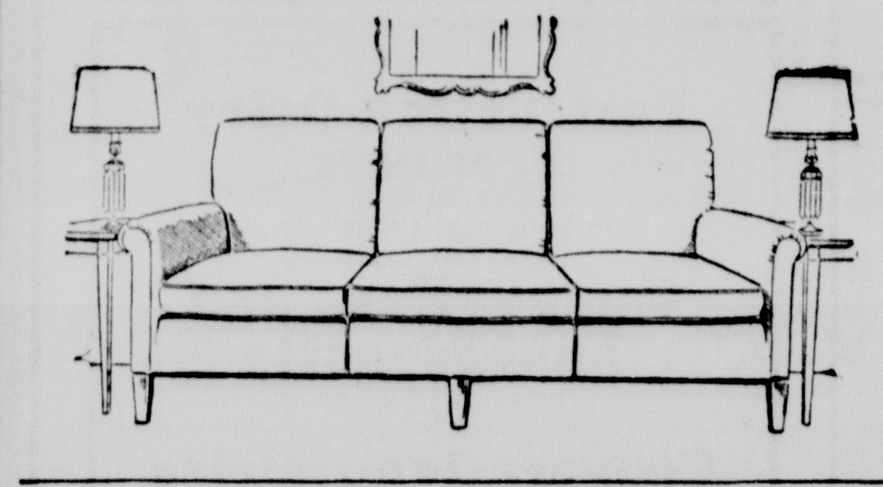

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Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Frances Moudy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Moudy, to Otis Alton Trussell, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Trussell of Ruston, on Thanksgiving day, November 23. The wedding took place in Jonesboro, with J. B. Shouse, justice of the peace, officiating.

The bride wore a smart black tailored suit with white accessories, with a corsage of white gardenias. For something old, she wore a locket, formerly belonging to her great-grandmother.

The bride's attendants were Miss Peggy Moffett of Ruston and Miss Hazel Crye of West Monroe. Both attendants wore tailored ensembles with white gardenia corsages.

Charles Anderson of Ruston served as best man and Jack Null, also of Ruston, as groomsman.

After the ceremony a wedding supper was served to the bridal party at the home of Mrs. Laura Moffett in Ruston. The dining table was covered with lace over white satin. White chrysanthemums, tied with white satin ribbon were placed in the center of the table and flanked by white waxen candles in crystal holders.

After the wedding, Mr. and Mrs. Trussell left for New Orleans, where they will spend their honeymoon. Upon their return they will make their home in Ruston.

The bride, who is a graduate of the Ouachita Parish High school, was reared in Monroe. Mr. Trussell was graduated from the Ruston High school and is now attending Louisiana Tech.

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Profound regret is manifested over the resignation of Mrs. F. C. Flowers as superintendent of matrons at the Baptist Children's home. Mrs. Flowers for many years following the death of her husband, affectionately known as "Daddy" Flowers, served as dean of women at Louisiana college, Pineville. She returned to Monroe eight years ago and that length of time has endeared herself to everyone at the orphanage.

Rules of the annuity board of the Southern Baptist convention permit the retirement of employes at the age of 65 years, but Mrs. Flowers served an additional four years.

She will make her home with a stepdaughter, Mrs. William Stroup, at Minden, but will divide her time between Mrs. Stroup and two stepsons, Frank Flowers at Pineville, and Paul Flowers at Montgomery, Ala.

Mrs. B. F. Wallace has been named to fill the vacancy made by Mrs. Flowers' resignation.

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Howard Mitcham of Baton Rouge will present his pictures in an exhibit at Northeast Junior college in the faculty lounge of the library building, 2 p.m. to 5 p.m.

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Meeting of Dixie chapter O. E. S. Masonic temple. 7:30 p.m.

Business and Professional Women's club will sponsor a bingo party at the Y. M. H. A. Public is invited, 8 p.m.

The Phi Kappa auxiliary will meet Monday at 3 p.m. at the Phi Kappa house.

Meeting of Monroe Garden club at Northeast Junior college. 2:30 p.m. Moving pictures of World's fair gardens will be shown.

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The Garden club will meet Monday at 2:30 p.m. at the Northeast Junior college. Pictures of the tulips on display at the New York World's fair will be shown.

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St. Anne's circle will meet at the home of Mrs. Paul Reising, Apartment 2, 1210 Park avenue.

Business meeting of W. B. A. election of officers. 7:30 p.m.

The Woman's Missionary society of First Baptist church will meet in circles as follows:

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Phi Kappas' 14th annual tea dansante, honoring Phi Kappa sweethearts, Miss Kathleen Rolleigh and Miss Josephine McCook, at the Phi Kappa house, 5 p.m.-8 p.m.

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Mr. Clinton Cross, Jr., of Barlow, Ky., joined Mrs. Cross in the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. R. B. Henry, until after the Christmas holidays.

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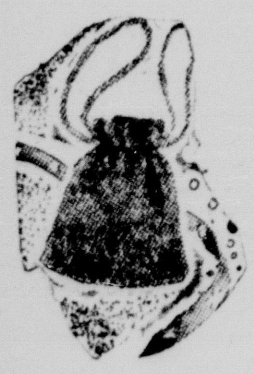

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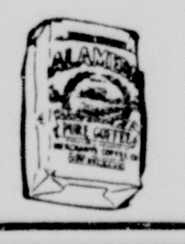

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Opal McCoy Marries Billy Ransom Golson

Wedding Solemnized In West Monroe; Couple Takes Honeymoon Trip In South Louisiana

Friends will be interested in the following announcement, which was received through the mail this week:

Mr. Dan Russell McCoy
announces the marriage of
his daughter
Opal
to
Mr. Billy Ransom Golson
on Tuesday,
the twenty-first of November
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The wedding was solemnized at the home of Rev. C. K. Smith, West Monroe, with Rev. Smith officiating. Mr. Golson is the son of Mr. W. O. Golson of Oak Ridge, La., and Mrs. Gordon Wright of New York City and Miami, Fla.

After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Golson left on a honeymoon trip through south Louisiana. Upon their return to Monroe, they will be at home to their friends at 103 Roselawn.

Parent-Teacher News

Mrs G B Wilson, state safety chairman for the Louisiana Parent-Teacher association, sends out the following timely admonition to parents, who are now thronging the toy shops in preparation for Christmas

"December again! Time for Santa Claus! Time for joy and happiness! Time for all of us to look back over the months that are gone and take stock of what we have done to make these months reasonably safe for our families

"As the hour draws near for the letters to Santa Claus and the fulfillment of these childish requests so dear to our hearts, let a plea for safety be heeded. We want to keep these curly heads, these bright eyes and smiling faces [illegible]. So let us be careful that as adults we do our part to protect them.

"If your child lives in a crowded district where no bicycle lanes or restrictions are provided, why not substitute for the bicycle if it can be done without too much heartbreak on the part of the [illegible]. Bicycles are dangerous [illegible].

"In the case of [illegible] we would say don't buy them. The dictatorships abroad furnish sufficiently terrifying examples of the practice of conditioning children to the ghastly art of killing. And from the safety angle even the rubber gun proves a dangerous implement as the following true story illustrates. In the community in which your safety chairman lives a lovely little fifth grader has just returned to school after having an eye removed as the result of a rubber gun shot.

"If the toy must be electrical be sure you buy a standard type that insures the maximum of safety for your child. Buy only safe toys [illegible]. Consider at Christmas time [illegible] safety. Let us be reasonably sure that our Yuletide celebration will not be marred by hospital visitations. And as we go our respective routes over the highways let a consciousness of the need of safety ever abide with us, that we may all have, indeed, a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year."

Ouachita Parish

The Ouachita Parish P.-T. A. has advanced its regular meeting a week due to the Christmas holidays. The meeting will be held Thursday, December 14, instead of December 21, in the O. P. H. S. auditorium at 4 p.m. A most attractive Christmas program has been arranged for the meeting.

Mrs. Audie W. Moffett will present the following numbers: "Coventry Carol," Girls' Glee club; "O Holy Night," Boys' Glee club; "Carol of the Birds," Mixed Glee club.

Miss Kathleen Miller will present members of the Dramatic club in a one-act play, "The Bed of Hay." The members of the cast are: Nahum, Jack Armstrong; Abadial, Freddie Young; Joseph, H. L. Waldroup; Angel, Inez Mize; Mary, Dorothy Tanner.

Carol singing by the O. P. H. S. Glee club.

Electrician, John Brazeal; technician, Donald McComb; costumes and make-up, Neil McCormick.

The Ouachita Parish P.-T. A. extends a cordial invitation to everyone to attend this meeting.

Welcome Branch Book Club Meets

The members of the Welcome Branch Book club took great interest in the topic, "Poetry in the Home," studied at the meeting Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. B. M. Murphy, with Mrs. M. R. Hausherr and Mrs. G. D. Holland co-hostesses. Mrs. Zell Smith, president, conducted the business meeting, which dealt with Christmas welfare work; the election of a new member, Mrs. L. R. Ledbetter; and the election of a new reporter to take the place of Mrs. F. E. Black, who recently resigned from that office.

Mrs. V. S. Garnett gave a short talk urging that members discourage wholesale picking of holly for seasonal decoration and that they encourage the protection of our native birds by educating their children to love them.

After Mrs. J. R. White had shown the year books of the Fifth district of Federated Women's clubs and had revealed that the Welcome Branch won third place, Mrs. Zell Smith announced, as a surprise, that Mrs. J. R. White, long valued for her publicity work, had won from the state federation a cash prize for her poster and one for her work in journalism.

Mrs. Warren Gregory, in a concise and well prepared paper, "A Discussion of Modern Poetry," asked the pertinent question: "Why Read Poetry?" She gave one answer in Amy Lowell's thought that "without poetry the soul and heart of man starves and dies." She pointed out that modern poets, unlike classical ones, strive to condense thoughts which can fit in with "the hurry and hustle of the world."

"Modern poetry," she continued, "seeks a simpler and more conversational turn to its verse and concerns itself with the common man instead of the 'hero' of the older poetry." She named Carl Sandburg as a typical modern poet, explaining that his poems are "of and for the average wayfaring man." She highly recommended Edna St. Vincent Millay's "Huntsman, What Quarry?" as good modern poetry. Ogden Nash and Dorothy Parker, she pointed out, represent the satirists of our day, and she quoted illustrating excerpts from Nash. Mrs. Gregory mentioned that we Americans do not appreciate our poetry and regretted that we too often "honor poetry, if at all, with a jingling column in the morning paper, or stuff it in the cracks of a magazine as a space filler." The poet personally is belittled. "We are not quite sure it is a man's job he is doing," she said. But she found hope in the modern poets who are overcoming public opinion of a poet's career. We might well look to Finland, she emphasized, who honors her poets with statues and has shown that "poets are the same as the historian, the novelist or the business man."

"Poetry and history," she concluded, "are the text books to the heart of man, and poetry is at once the most intimate and enduring."

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Mrs. R. D. Donaldson accompanied her mother, Mrs. Homer Rudy of Rayville, and relatives from Missouri on a visit to New Orleans during the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mrs. Fanny Grayson was a recent visitor with relatives in Fondale. Her son, Ray, of Natchitoches, and her daughter, Mildred, of Winnsboro, visited her recently.

The annual turkey dinner served by the Methodist Missionary society was given at the social hall.

Mrs. E. M. Cruse and small son and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fore are visiting relatives in Arkansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivy Sorrells were visitors in Baton Rouge recently.

Farmerville

Mrs. Omah Muckleroy has returned from a visit with Mrs. Wiley Doss at Monroe.

James P. Fenton of Alexandria was a guest of his mother, Mrs. Georgia Fenton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben M. Lee and little son, Jeff, spent Thanksgiving with relatives at Natchitoches.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Roberts and little daughter of Ringold visited Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Tugwell and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Tugwell.

Miss Susan Jones of Alexandria was the house guest of Miss Carolyn Tucker.

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Marion

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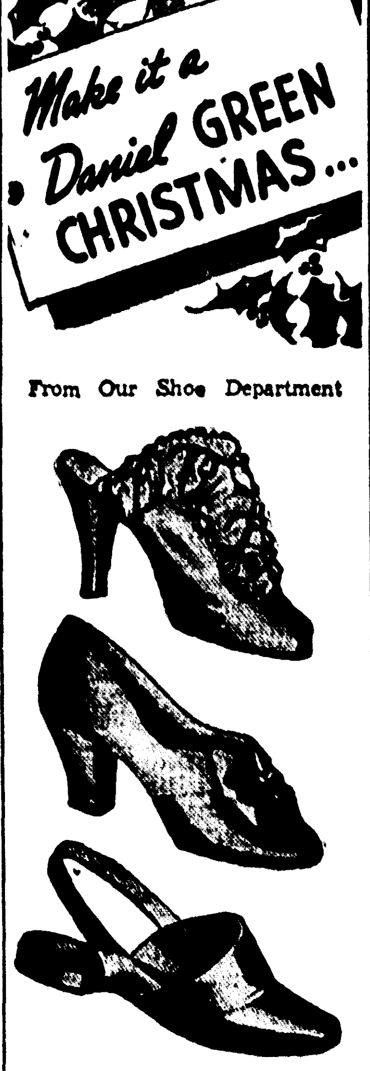

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Opal
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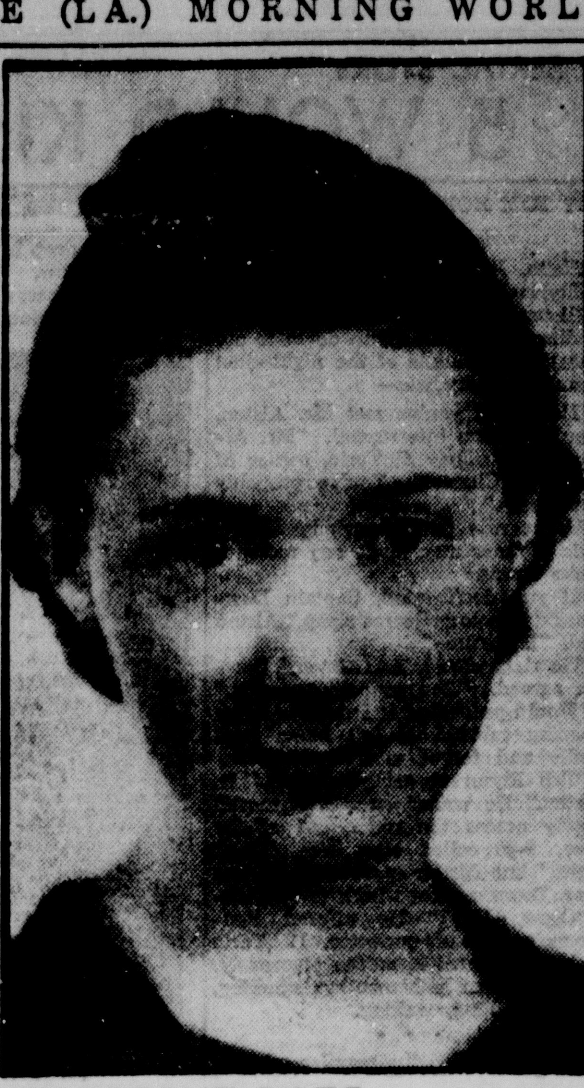
The wedding was solemnized at the home of Rev. C. K. Smith, West Monroe, with Rev. Smith officiating. Mr. Golson is the son of Mr. W. O. Golson of Oak Ridge, La., and Mrs. Gordon Wright of New York City and Miami, Fla.

After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Golson left on a honeymoon trip through south Louisiana. Upon their return to Monroe, they will be at home to their friends at 103 Roselawn.



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"As the hour draws near for the letters to Santa Claus and the fulfillment of these childish requests so dear to our hearts, let a plea for safety be heeded. We want to keep these curly heads, these bright eyes and smiling faces in our midst. So let us be careful that as adults we do our part to protect them.

"If your child lives in a crowded district where no bicycle lanes or restrictions are provided, why not substitute for the bicycle if it can be done without too much heartbreak on the part of the child? Bicycles are dangerous if not properly restricted.

"In the case of guns—we would say don't buy them. The dictatorships abroad furnish sufficiently terrifying examples of the practice of conditioning children to the ghastly art of killing. And from the safety angle, even the rubber gun proves a dangerous implement as the following true story illustrates. In the community in which your safety chairman lives a lovely little fifth grader has just returned to school after having an eye removed as the result of a rubber gun shot.

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Mrs. Audie W. Moffett will present the following numbers: "Coventry Carol," Girls' Glee club; "O Holy Night," Boys' Glee club; "Carol of the Birds," Mixed Glee club.

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Welcome Branch Book Club Meets

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D. E. Brown, who attends Southwestern Louisiana institute, spent the holidays with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. D. E. Brown.

Mrs. Ray Garrett and baby, Dorothy Ray are visiting relatives in Lufkin, Texas. They will be joined soon by Mr. Garrett, who will accompany them home.

Grayson

Mrs. G. N. May of Sulphur has been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. C. Hines.

Mrs. R. D. Donaldson accompanied her mother, Mrs. Homer Rudy of Rayville, and relatives from Missouri on a visit to New Orleans during the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mrs. Fanny Grayson was a recent visitor with relatives in Fondale. Her son, Ray, of Natchitoches, and her daughter, Mildred, of Winnsboro, visited her recently.

The annual turkey dinner served by the Methodist Missionary society was given at the social hall.

Mrs. E. M. Cruse and small son and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fore are visiting relatives in Arkansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivy Sorrells were visitors in Baton Rouge recently.

Farmerville

Mrs. Omah Muckleroy has returned from a visit with Mrs. Wiley Doss at Monroe.

James P. Fenton of Alexandria was a guest of his mother, Mrs. Georgia Fenton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben M. Lee and little son, Jeff, spent Thanksgiving with relatives at Natchitoches.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Roberts and little daughter of Ringold visited Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Tugwell and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Tugwell.

Miss Susan Jones of Alexandria was the house guest of Miss Carolyn Tucker.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Miller were visitors in Little Rock.

Miss Myrtie V. Morgan of Gibsland has returned home after a visit with Mrs. Ben M. Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Taylor and little daughter, Mr. and Mrs. George Thorgerson of Baton Rouge spent the Thanksgiving holidays in Farmerville with their mother, Mrs. J. W. Taylor.

Mrs. J. W. Pickel has returned from a visit with relatives in Monroe.

Mrs. Lonnie Couch and little son of New Orleans are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Beal.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Edwards visited in Jackson, Miss., and Baton Rouge.

Malcolm Seab has accepted the position of agricultural teacher in the Bonita High school. He has been an instructor in the Farmerville High school for the past two years.

Miss Evelyn Beal of Vicksburg, Miss., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Joe Beal.

Miss Annette Albritton spent the Thanksgiving holidays in Alexandria.

Mr. and Mrs. Glendon Toler spent the Thanksgiving holidays in Cleveland, Tex., with Mrs. Toler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stancil, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Norris and sons, Mrs. Clarence Granberry and little daughter of West Monroe were guests here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Albritton.

Mrs. Eric Gambrell of Dallas, Tex., and Duke Selig, Jr., of El Paso, Tex., were called to the bedside of their father, Mr. Duke Selig, who is seriously ill.

Mrs. Gussie Wright has returned to Alexandria after spending two weeks in the home of her sister, Mrs. Duke Selig.

Mrs. M. W. Ramsey is visiting relatives at Longview, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Crider of Bunkie spent the Thanksgiving holidays in Farmerville with their mother, Mrs. Will A. Crider. Mrs. Crider accompanied them home for a visit.

Mrs. Proctor Garrison and Mrs. Guy Hill of El Dorado were guests of their sisters, Mrs. W. B. Miller and Miss Butterfly Wallace.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hartman and children, Sam and Ruth, visited in Rayville with Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Wynn.

Miss Fahy Rowland of El Dorado visited her aunt, Mrs. M. J. Pearson.

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Everett of Shreveport were guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Everett.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Keller of Minden visited here with Mrs. Keller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Ramsey.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Z. Rich of Longview, Tex., visited in Farmerville with relatives.

Students returning to their respective schools and colleges after spending the Thanksgiving holidays at their homes here were: Raymond Sawyer, Southeastern, Hammond; Lillian Edwards, Clothlyde Read, Emmett Mitchell, Jr., Cecil Read, Otis Lee Tugwell, Richard Truly and Thad Howell, L. S. U.; Ellen Ramsey, Sophia Newcomb, Horace Clark, Jr., State Normal; Moss Allen Treadwell, Louisiana college; Charles Lee Barr, John Ed Rabun, Edward Booth, Annie Laurie Booth, Lucy Nell Wainwright, L. B. Odom, Jr., Alice Virginia Michell, Mingon Terral, Junior Rabun, James Rabun, Jean Calhoun of Louisiana Tech, and Aubert Dykes, Jr., Georgia Tech.

Miss Florinell Francis, librarian at the state university, Baton Rouge, spent the Thanksgiving holidays here with her father, Dr. C. C. Francis.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Ramsey and children were guests in Columbia of Mr. and Mrs. Levy Ramsey.

Lowell J. Everett of Mansfield was a guest here of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stancil.

Mrs. J. D. Baughman and Miss Faye Baughman visited relatives in Rayville.

Miss Mary Ruth Mixon visited her parents in Dodson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Murphy and children, Neil and Gloria, spent Thanksgiving at Grayson with relatives.

Marion

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Reeves and children spent Sunday with relatives in Monroe.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hollis of Bernice were the guests of relatives here last week.

Rev. W. O. Byrd, the newly appointed pastor of the Methodist church, preached his first sermon of the year here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Jordan of Monroe were the week-end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Powell.

Miss Marie Wheelis, who teaches at Gilbert, spent the week-end at home.

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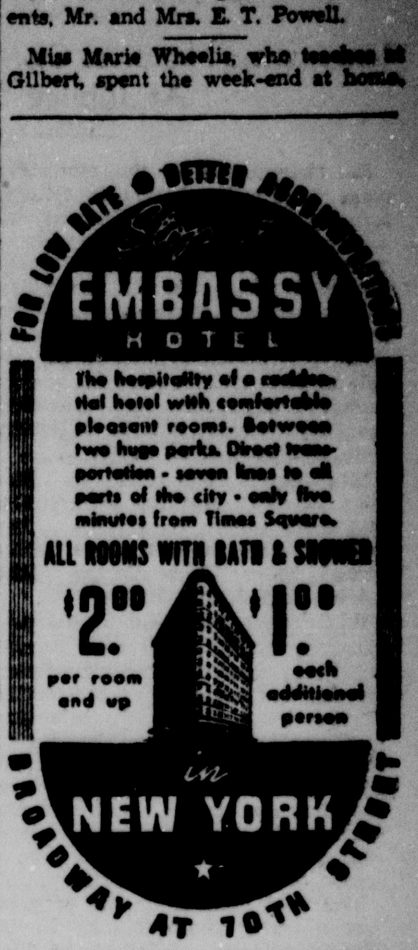

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Bastrop

Mrs. Pauline Reid of New Orleans spent several days with her sister, Mrs. B. L. Tisdale.

Mrs. Pete Jordan of New Orleans was a visitor in Bastrop with relatives and friends.

Mrs. S. H. Holland of Little Rock and Mr. and Mrs. Burford Holland of Bastrop were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gregg.

Mrs. R. Freeland of Springhill visited relatives in Bastrop.

[illegible] of Newellton was guest in the home of her sister, Mrs. [illegible] David.

[illegible]

Arthur Ross of Mobile, Ala., was a visitor in Bastrop.

Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Pomeroy are [illegible] home of their [illegible]

[illegible]

Mangham

[illegible]

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Underwood had as recent guest her brother, Dr. [illegible] of Monroe.

Ale Webster of Columbia, Tenn., visited among friends here.

Charles Ratcliff of San Pedro, Calif., and Mrs. Pauline Bass of Carlsbad, N. M., have been visiting with their parents here, Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Ratcliff.

Mrs. A. M. Lee has as her guest her mother, Mrs. Lula Harris of Powell, Miss.

Mrs. Mable Wilson of Texas is enjoying a visit with her father, Morris Brown.

Mrs. Rose McCowan Glass and little daughter of Lake Charles were visitors here.

Miss Geneveve Catlett spent the week-end with her parents at Elton, La.

Miss Ada Preston was hostess to the young peoples Bible class at her home. At the conclusion of the meeting refreshments were served to the members.

Mrs. J. W. DeMoss, Sr., visited with her daughter, Mrs. S. H. Wood of Gilbert.

The Junior Music club was entertained by Julia Dot Gates in the home of Mrs. T. W. Stark. At the conclusion of business and the program, Miss Stark invited the guests to the dining room where refreshments were served to the following: Mary Lynn Acklin, Pauline Chapman, Willie D. Chapman, Kathryn Curry, Mary Carl Underwood, Mayrene Baxter, Roger Baxter, Lee Baxter, J. C. Tillman, Janet Landrum, Betty Joe Windham, Julia Dot Gates, Mrs. Mary Acklin, Mrs. B. N. Hixon.

Mrs. Richard Hatch is enjoying a visit from her mother, Mrs. C. H. Stephens, of Nashville, Tenn.

Dr. C. E. McConnell of Mangham was elected president of the Fifth District Medical association which met in Monroe.

Miss Sybil Tillman of Rayville visited friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Edward Hixon of Bastrop spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Hixon.

Miss Ella McCormick of Union Church, Miss., is a guest in the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. McCormick.

J. H. Childress of Maracaibo, Venezuela, South America, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Childress and Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Childress.

● SERIAL STORY

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CHAPTER VI

"Hello, Joey." There was no cordiality in Dawson's greeting.

"Listen, Dawson—what's the idea of sending that dumb Flynn down to my place in the middle of the night—just when my party was—"

"I doubt if you've met Mr. Alston, Joey," Dawson interrupted. "Mr. Alston, this is Joey di Torio, owner of the Club Chateau. You've probably been there."

Alston rose to acknowledge Joey's nod. Neither man made any move to shake hands.

"If you don't mind, Captain Dawson, I'd like to get some sleep," Alston said. "If I may."

"Go right ahead, Mr. Alston," Dawson agreed. "You probably need it."

"Would you mind if I ordered some sleeping tablets? I left home hurriedly and forgot to take one."

"Tell Flynn to get you some, Mr. Alston." He waited as Alston moved slowly across the room, out of the door. [illegible] after him. "Good night." Alston apparently did not hear. Dawson turned back to di Torio.

"[illegible]" He offered Bentherne's [illegible] perfectos. Di Torio took one [illegible] puffed vigorously. For a [illegible] the men sat, smoking [illegible]

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Di Torio belied the popular conception of a gangster. He was small, and [illegible] expressed itself [illegible] darting eyes and dark [illegible]. His clothes were well tailored [illegible] wore them like a model. He looked more like a musician [illegible] than a killer.

[illegible]

"Benthorne had the habit of keeping records [illegible], Joey. He had a little book in his desk here. You thought [illegible] in the safe, didn't you, Joey? Benthorne guessed that, and kept it almost in the open, an innocent looking little diary, but I [illegible]."

"You'd never make it stick in court," Joey said, confidence returning. "It's the word of a dead man against mine. That book doesn't prove a thing."

"It may prove a murder charge, Joey."

"Listen, Dawson," di Torio said condescendingly, "I told you I was in my club all night. I was with a party of friends. They'll tell you—"

"Are you sure you didn't leave the club last night?"

"I'll take that back," Joey said. "I did leave but only for a few minutes. Dave Watson was having a party. I thought I'd drop by and pick up Marlyn—you know, Marlyn White, but her apartment was dark so I drove on back to the club without stopping.

JOEY DI TORIO

Dave'll remember and so will Pete. Pete's my manager."

"So you just went out for a ride, Joe. All by yourself." Dawson shook his head. "No, Joey, I thought you could think faster than that."

"Listen. You left the Club Chateau [illegible]

[illegible]

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"And there's one thing you've forgotten. [illegible] Dawson. I'm saving you [illegible] telling you this in advance. There's the little item of a gun."

"Your cop Flynn lifted my automatic out of my shoulder [illegible] here. Have you found the gun that killed Benthorne yet?"

"No," Dawson replied. "But Flynn probably has it in his pocket now."

"Don't be too sure about that, my friend," Joey went on confidently. "I carry a 38 automatic and it hasn't been fired in six months. And when you get that bullet out of Benthorne's head, there's one thing more to remember—ballistics tests. Surely you've heard of them!"

(To Be Continued)

It is said that whooping cough is the most contagious of all childhood diseases.

Eros

Mrs. B. C. Williamson and daughter, Miss Lucille Williamson, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kramer, C. A. Connella, spent the Thanksgiving holidays in Rayville as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Williamson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Buckely and daughter of Longview, Tex., spent the Thanksgiving holidays as the guest of Mrs. Buckely's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Grant.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lindsay and Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Lindsay, Jr., of Monroe, spent a week-end as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Lindsay recently.

Mrs. R. A. Graham of Vidalia spent a week as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Pratt and Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Pratt, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Rogers and sons, Larry and [illegible] of Rochelle, were the guests of Mr. Rogers' mother, Mrs. J. R. Rogers, recently.

Mrs. Johnnie Travis of Shreveport was the recent guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bennett.

Mrs. [illegible] Greer of Rochelle was the guest of Mrs. S. F. Greer and Mr. and Mrs. [illegible]

Teachers attending the state teachers [illegible] recently [illegible] Thelma [illegible] Mrs. [illegible] Lewis, W. H. [illegible] J. D. Keene.

Oak Grove

Members of the Band Mothers [illegible]

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auxiliary gave an inspiring talk on "Membership and Securing New Members" and Mrs. Copeland spoke on "Activities of Juniors."

The Drum and Bugle Corps of Tallulah played several selections on the lawn of the club house. Delicious refreshments were served and the two guests from Oak Grove were presented with a lovely gift.

Mrs. Cay Castleman was hostess to members of the Current Events group, and in keeping with the season the program was centered around Thanksgiving. Mrs. O. C. Roberts presented data on the original Thanksgiving. Miss Eleanor Castleman read an interesting article on customs of the early American Thanksgiving and how other nations observe the day. Mrs. Annie Hederick, WPA adult teacher, told the story of "The Coming of the Corn."

Several amusing contests were held with Mrs. Pauline Hayman winner [illegible] word building. Mrs. O. C. Roberts [illegible] "Chrysanthemum Petals," and [illegible] Key Haven," and Mrs. Abernathy and Mrs. Holman in Chinese checkers.

Miss Marjory Dan Kelly entertained with a buffet supper in the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. D. W. Kelly, honoring her holiday house-guest, Miss Ruth Eddleman of Alexandria, and Miss Laura Turner who was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Turner.

Guests present were Miss Endsley, Miss Turner, Miss Sue Williams, Miss Laura Mae Williams, Miss Francis Riggs, Miss Roberta Reeves, Mrs. Cyrus McGinty of Winnfield, Mr. and Mrs. John Brown McIntosh, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Kelly, J. D. McIntosh, Dean McCormick, Troy Cotton, Jim Penuel, John Hester, John T. Lee, W. H. Morris.

Group One of the Junior auxiliary met at the home of Janice Vining last Monday and packed a basket that was presented to a needy family for Thanksgiving.

At a meeting of the Christian Service of the Methodist church the following officers were elected. Mrs. Jesse James, president; Mrs. A. [illegible] Monroe, vice-president; Mrs. Shaw[illegible]key, corresponding secretary; Mrs. [illegible] L. McKenzie, Jr., recording secretary; Mrs. C. H. Neely, treasurer; Mrs. Lavelle Wilson, local treasurer; Mrs. Sartis Bassett, young woman's group secretary; Mrs. L. L. James, superintendent children's work; Mrs. J. [illegible] McIntosh, superintendent of mission and Bible study; Mrs. D. N. Copeland, superintendent of literature and publicity; Mrs. J. T. Williams, superintendent of world outlook; Mrs. D. W. Kelly, superintendent of Christian relations; Mrs. R. V. Reeves, superintendent of supplies; Mrs. Clyde Turner, superintendent of local work.

Mrs. J. D. Copeland entertained her music pupils at a theater party. Among those present were: Adrienne Smith, Barbara Lou Smith, Esta Fay Hurley, Betty Jean Rodgers, Patsy Hudson, Iris Jean Cheatham, Marvel Kelly Cheatham, Patricia Jane Copeland, Jean and Juanita Copeland and Mrs. Copeland.

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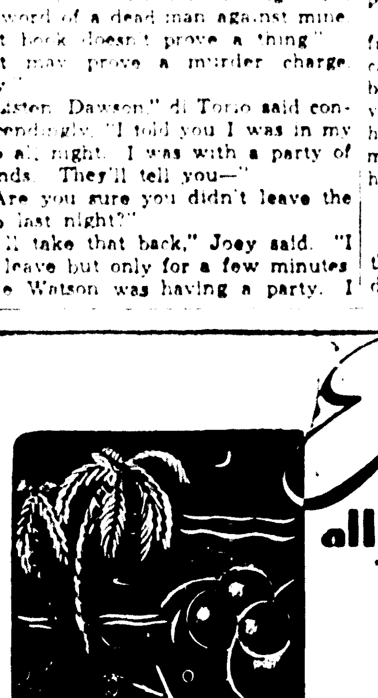

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Club Women Observe Fiftieth Anniversary

Interesting Histories Of Monroe Organizations Given At Jubilee Birthday Party

On December 2 in the recreation room at Northeast Junior college, federated club women of Monroe and Fifth district shared in the celebration of fifty years of General Federation accomplishments, with the golden jubilee birthday party. The program hour was opened by Mrs. J. Norman Coon, who presented Mrs. A. D. Tisdale as Fifth district outstanding club leader. Mrs. Tisdale then presented the guest speaker, Mrs. C. E. Hester, state president of L. F. W. C.

Mrs. Hester spoke briefly on "Pioneer Women," and the contribution that these women have made to the world. Among those that Mrs. Hester named were Clara Barton, Jane Adams, and Jennie June.

When General Federation came into existence in 1889 there were just 61 clubs represented at this organization meeting and now fifty years later the number totals 15,000 clubs belonging to General Federation. Mrs. Hester closed her talk by saying that is the wish of Mrs. Sadie Orr Dunbar that the climax of the celebration at the Triennial in 1941, and the period preceding it, be something more than a season of rejoicing and festivity.

The next number on the program was a lovely piano solo by Louise Tisdale, talented daughter of Mrs. A. D. Tisdale. A brief history of the seven federated clubs participating was given by members of the clubs as follows: the Twentieth Century club, Mrs. W. M. Washburn; the Review club, Mrs. DeWitt Henry; the Altrurian club, Mrs. R. B. Henry; the Literary guild, Mrs. Duncan Cook; the Welcome Branch club, Mrs. H. H. Douglas; the Current Literature club, Mrs. Mike John, Jr.; the Junior Gavel, Mrs. Carrol Boyce. A special tribute was paid to Mrs. R. E. Major as the oldest club woman in Federation. A lovely vocal number rendered by Mrs. Briscoe Trousdale, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Louis Hullum, added a note of warmth to the program.

The candle lighting service depicting the fifty years of G. F. W. C. was impressive with the tall white candelabra entwined with ivy, holding ten tapers, each representing the five decades. Mrs. E. C. Gibson lighted the candles for the first decade, Mrs. C. E. Nenney for the second, Mrs. W. M. Harper for the third, Mrs. G. W. Welch, for the fourth and Mrs. G. D. Holland for the fifth.

Another musical number which added charm to this program was a violin solo by Mrs. Dean Selig accompanied by Mrs. E. E. Lawson. Mrs. J. Noble Hatch of Alto, state chairman of music, was a guest at this meeting and was privileged to hear her own composition sung by Mrs. J. Norman Coon, the name of the song was "Happy Birthday to You."

As a fitting climax to this golden jubilee party, the clubs in Monroe presented Mrs. Tisdale with a lovely silver tray. Mrs. J. R. White paid a lovely tribute to Mrs. Tisdale in presenting this gift, "saying how unselfishly and untiringly Mrs. Tisdale has served as a club leader and how Mrs. Tisdale has not only led us on to higher ideals of club life, but to higher ideals of the Christian faith."

A delightful social hour followed with Mrs. King Hunt, Mrs. Joe Ramey, and Mrs. George Phebus presiding over the coffee service. Others assisting in the serving were Mrs. Jack Masur, Mrs. John C. Best, Mrs. Joseph Winkler, Mrs. Leon Dennis, Mrs. Carrol Boyce and Mrs. W. M. Harper.

Choudrant

Mrs. L. T. Kirkland and daughter, Gladys, visited her sister, Mrs. Lyles of Rayville, and her daughters at Oak Grove.

The Baptist Woman's Missionary society held their monthly business meeting.

Miss Betty Jo Moreland, who spent the holidays with her parents, has returned to school in Lafayette.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. O'Neal and family and Mrs. Bill Bagwell attended the Presbyterian lecture in Monroe.

Miss Crystal Richmond of Minden was a visitor here.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Lackey of Forest, Miss., visited Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Bagley.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Blanchard had as their guests this week Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Kunze of Provencal.

R. W. Kemp has returned from Bogalusa where he accompanied his father who spent several weeks here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wright of Mississippi have recently moved here. Mr. Wright is an employe of the I. C. C.

Mrs. C. B. Colvin was hostess to the Needlecraft club, in her home.

Bastrop

Mrs. Pauline Reid of New Orleans spent several days with her sister, Mrs. B. L. Tisdale.

Mrs. Pete Jordan of New Orleans was a visitor in Bastrop with relatives and friends.

Mrs. S. H. Holland of Little Rock and Mr. and Mrs. Burford Holland of Ruston were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grego.

Mrs. Roy Freeland of Springhill visited relatives in Bastrop.

Mrs. Ned Ayraud of Newellton was a guest in the home of her sister, Mrs. Edward David.

Mrs. Blanche Andries of Many, Mr. and Mrs. J. Andries of Kilgore, Tex., and Blake Andries of Houston, Tex., were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Foster K. Perry.

Mrs. Howard Galloway and children of Mobile, Ala., were guests in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam J. Harrell.

Arthur Ross of Mobile, Ala., was a visitor in Bastrop.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Pomeroy are visiting in the home of their son, Rev. G. W. Pomeroy, and family in Crowley.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Frank Marlatt and daughter, Grace, are located in a Park avenue apartment in Hot Springs, Ark., where they will remain for several weeks.

Mrs. Howard attended the Methodist conference in Ruston. While there she was a guest in the home of Mrs. L. C. Aycock.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Beekman have returned to their home in Los Angeles, Calif., after a visit of five weeks with relatives and friends in Bastrop.

Miss Nadine Benge, Margaret Andrews and Mrs. Ruby McDuff attended a health unit meeting in Shreveport.

Mrs. L. G. Robinson returned home after a visit of two weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Walter Vignes, in Elizabeth, and with friends in Alexandria.

Among those attending the Louisiana State-Tulane football game in New Orleans were Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Robinson, Dr. and Mrs. V. H. Reitzell, Miss Fannie Hobbs, Mrs. L. E. Pagan, Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Rawls, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Jones, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Williamson Pipes, Mrs. Ed Trippe, Mrs. Salyme McCreight, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Spier, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Goodwin, Harry Hawthorne, Edwin Madison, Dr. Frank B. Ogden and Bill Barham.

Mangham

Dr. and Mrs. C. E. McConnell had as recent guest their daughter, Miss Mary Virginia McConnell of L. S. U., and Claude Stokes McConnell of the L. S. U. school of medicine, New Orleans, Dr. J. E. McConnell of Fort Worth, Tex, and Robert Stephenson, Frank Ramsey, Jack Cutler, Mr. McNally of L. S. U., Miss Patricia Tucker.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Webb of Baton Rouge were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Landry and Mrs. Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Tillman.

Misses Mollie Neal Curry and Mary Elizabeth Boughton, who are students at Louisiana Tech, Ruston, spent the week-end at home with their parents.

Miss Rowena Butler, who is teaching at St. Francisville, was a recent guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Butler.

Mr. and Mrs. Corbin Baker returned from a trip to Texas where they enjoyed a visit with friends.

Mr. and Mrs C. N. Underwood had as recent guest her brother, Dr. Strickland of Monroe.

Ale Webster of Columbia, Tenn., visited among friends here.

Charles Ratcliff of San Pedro, Calif., and Mrs. Pauline Bass of Carlsbad, N. M., have been visiting with their parents here, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Ratcliff.

Mrs. A. M. Lee has as her guest her mother, Mrs. Lula Harris of Powell, Miss.

Mrs. Mable Wilson of Texas is enjoying a visit with her father, Morris Brown.

Mrs. Rose McCowan Glass and little daughter of Lake Charles were visitors here.

Miss Geneveve Catlett spent the week-end with her parents at Elton, La.

Miss Ada Preston was hostess to the young peoples Bible class at her home. At the conclusion of the meeting refreshments were served to the members.

Mrs. J. W. DeMoss, Sr., visited with her daughter, Mrs. S. H. Wood of Gilbert.

The Junior Music club was entertained by Julia Dot Gates in the home of Mrs. T. W. Stark. At the conclusion of business and the program, Miss Stark invited the guests to the dining room where refreshments were served to the following: Mary Lynn Acklin, Pauline Chapman, Willie D. Chapman, Kathryn Curry, Mary Carl Underwood, Mayrene Baxter, Roger Baxter, Lee Baxter, J. C. Tillman, Janet Landrum, Betty Joe Windham, Julia Dot Gates, Mrs. Mary Acklin, Mrs. B. N. Hixon.

Mrs. Richard Hatch is enjoying a visit from her mother, Mrs. C. H. Stephens, of Nashville, Tenn.

Dr. C. E. McConnell of Mangham was elected presdent of the Fifth District Medical association which met in Monroe.

Miss Sybil Tillman of Rayville visited friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Edward Hixon of Bastrop spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Hixon.

Miss Ella McCormick of Union Church, Miss., is a guest in the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. McCormick.

J. H. Childress of Maracaibo, Venezuela, South America, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Childress and Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Childress.

• SERIAL STORY

5 WOULD KILL

BY TOM HORNER

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CHAPTER VI

"Hello, Joey." There was no cordiality in Dawson's greeting.

"Listen, Dawson—what's the idea of sending that dumb Flynn down to my place in the middle of the night—just when my party was—

"I doubt if you've met Mr. Alston, Joey," Dawson interrupted. "Mr. Alston, this is Joey di Torio, owner of the Club Chateau. You've probably been there."

Alston rose to acknowledge Joey's nod. Neither man made any move to shake hands.

"If you don't mind, Captain Dawson, I'd like to get some sleep," Alston said. "If I can—"

"Go right ahead, Mr. Alston," Dawson agreed. "You probably need it."

"Would you mind if I ordered some sleeping tablets? I left home hurriedly and forgot to take one."

"Tell Flynn to get you some, Mr. Alston." He waited as Alston moved slowly across the room, out of the door, then called after him, "Good night!" but Alston apparently did not hear. Dawson turned back to di Torio.

"Cigar, Joey?" He offered Benthorne's box of perfectos. Di Torio took one, lighted it, puffed vigorously. For a moment both men sat, smoking, saying nothing, waiting.

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Di Torio belied the popular conception of a gangster. He was small, and his Italian ancestry evidenced itself in his black, darting eyes, and dark complexion. His clothes were well tailored and he wore them like a model. He looked more like a musician or a gigolo than a killer.

"Listen, Dawson, I've got work to do," Joey began at last. "I was just getting ready to close when Flynn comes in and says you wanted to see me. He said Arnold Benthorne had been killed. I tried to tell him that I haven't been outside of the Chateau all evening but he wouldn't listen. Said you wanted to talk to me and that was that. What do you want, Dawson?"

"You knew Arnold Benthorne pretty well, Joey?" Dawson asked slowly.

"Sure, I knew him. Half the night clubs in town knew Benthorne by his first name. He used to come to the Chateau a lot. But I didn't know he was dead until Flynn told me. Why pick on me?"

"Weren't you and Benthorne associated"—Dawson paused at the word —"in business together once?"

"Yes," Joey's answer came slowly. "But that was back in prohibition days. You can't dig back that far to pin a charge on me."

"What was this business, Joey?"

"Benthorne backed my first speakeasy. You used to get free drinks there yourself. Benthorne bought a yacht cheap, ran the stuff in from the Bahamas and I unloaded it. Benthorne was smart, too. He always stayed outside the limit—made me take all the risks."

"You haven't had much to do with him since then?" Dawson queried.

"Only as a customer. When liquor went legal, Benthorne decided there was no quick money in it, and we dissolved our—our partnership." Di Torio pursed his mouth, devoted his attention to smoke rings.

"You're lying, Joey," Dawson said calmly. "You and Benthorne never dissolved your 'partnership.' You and Benthorne have been mixed up in half the rackets in this town.

"You and Benthorne have been running the numbers game here for three years. Last year you branched out into narcotics. You've got agents in Chicago, Kansas City, Denver and San Francisco. Within the last six months you've arranged to smuggle 200 aliens over the Canadian border at $500 a head. You've—"

Di Torio's face was white, his calm, self-assurance shattered. "How did you know?"

"Benthorne had the habit of keeping records—private records, Joey. He had a little book in his desk here. You thought it was in the safe, didn't you, Joey? Benthorne guessed that, and kept it almost out in the open—an innocent looking little diary, but I couldn't miss it."

"You'll never make it stick in court," Joey said, confidence returning. "It's the word of a dead man against mine. That book doesn't prove a thing."

"It may prove a murder charge, Joey."

"Listen, Dawson," di Torio said condescendingly, "I told you I was in my club all night. I was with a party of friends. They'll tell you—"

"Are you sure you didn't leave the club last night?"

"I'll take that back," Joey said. "I did leave but only for a few minutes. Dave Watson was having a party. I thought I'd drop by and pick up Marlyn—you know, Marlyn White—but her apartment was dark so I drove on back to the club without stopping.

JOEY DI TORIO

Dave'll remember and so will Pete. Pete's my manager."

"So you just went out for a ride, Joey—all by yourself," Dawson shook his head. "No, Joey, I thought you could think faster than that.

"Listen. You left the Club Chateau, you drove up here to Benthorne's—you could make it in a few minutes—you came in that side entrance you always used and you found Benthorne in the study.

"You've been holding out on Benthorne, blackmailing him, and you knew Benthorne wouldn't let you get away with it. That's why he made out this record. With that book he figured he could keep your mouth closed until he found a way of closing it permanently.

"But you beat him to it, Joey. You shot Arnold Benthorne as he sat in this chair. Then you jammed that straight chair there against the door, rifled the safe, and finally, when you heard Flynn and Krone taking the door off the hinges, you went out the window. It's a closed case, Joey —and it will send you to the chair."

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Di Torio was silent, studying the glowing end of his cigar. At last he spoke. "You've missed one thing in your murder case, Dawson. What time was Benthorne killed?"

"The coroner's deputy said it was right around midnight. It took Flynn and Krone a while to get the door down."

"That proves it." Di Torio smiled. "I can prove by half a dozen witnesses that I didn't leave the Club Chateau until after midnight. It was almost 12:15 before I could get away. And you had already found Benthorne's body by that time."

"How does it happen you remember the time so well?" Dawson asked.

"In my business, captain, just as in yours, it's a good idea to keep your eye on the clock. You can never tell when some dumb cop is going to try to hang a murder charge on you."

"I'll let that one pass, Joey," Dawson said, "until I've checked on this alibi of yours. Are you sure your friends will remember the time with equal facility?"

"I hope so," Joey laughed. "They should. Dave was complaining that he wasn't getting any kick out of his drinks, so I bought some champagne for him. Pete'll remember the time, too.

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"And there's one thing you've forgotten. I never thought it of you, Dawson. I'm saving your job by telling you this in advance. There's the little item of a gun.

"Your cop, Flynn, lifted my automatic out of this shoulder scabbard on the way out here. Have you found the gun that killed Benthorne yet?"

"No," Dawson replied, "but Flynn probably has it in his pocket now."

"Don't be too sure about that, my friend," Joey went on confidently. "I carry a .38 automatic and it hasn't been fired in six months. And when you get that bullet out of Benthorne's head, there's one thing more to remember—ballistics tests. Surely you've heard of them!"

(To Be Continued)

It is said that whooping cough is the most contagious of all childhood diseases.

Eros

Mrs. B. C. Williamson and daughter, Miss Lucille Williamson, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kramer, C. A. Connella, spent the Thanksgiving holidays in Rayville as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Williamson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Buckely and daughter of Longview, Tex., spent the Thanksgiving holidays as the guest of Mrs. Buckely's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Grant.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lindsay and Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Lindsay, Jr., of Monroe, spent a week-end as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Lindsay, recently.

Mrs. R. A. Graham of Vidalia spent a week as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Pratt, and Mr. and Mrs. Coy Pratt, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Rogers and sons, Larry and Roland, of Rochelle, were the guests of Mr. Rogers' mother, Mrs. J. R. Rogers, recently.

Mrs. Johnny Travis of Shreveport was the recent guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bennett.

Mrs. Lillian Greer of Rochelle was the guest of Mrs. S. E. Greer and Mr. and Mrs. Ivy Phillips.

Teachers attending the state teachers convention held in Alexandria recently were Misses Elenor Thift, Lorelis Peters, Loucreascy Moffett, Thelma Sharman, Marjorie Owens, Jeul Meredith, Mrs. Wade Emory, Mrs. Willie Harris Martin, E. L. Lewis, W. H. Rockhold, V. B. Dunn, J. D. Koonce.

Oak Grove

Members of the Band Mothers organization, met at the school and made plans to sponsor a benefit show at the theater on December 7, for purpose of raising funds for needed instruments.

The president, Mrs. D. W. McBride, appointed Mrs. Lavelle Wilson as chairman of the ticket committee with Mrs. James Berger and Mrs. Clyde Wilson assisting her. Mr. McBride presented the group with a check from the local Lions club to add to the fund for instruments.

Mrs. Mae E. Kelly and Mrs. D. M. Copeland motored to Tallulah to attend a meeting of the Tallulah Legion auxiliary held at the Book club. Mrs. Kelly, Fifth district president of the auxiliary gave an inspiring talk on "Membership and Securing New Members" and Mrs. Copeland spoke on "Activities of Juniors."

The Drum and Bugle Corps of Tallulah played several selections on the lawn of the club house. Delicious refreshments were served and the two guests from Oak Grove were presented with a lovely gift.

Mrs. Cay Castleman was hostess to members of the Current Events group, and in keeping with the season the program was centered around Thanksgiving. Mrs. O. C. Roberts presented data on the original Thanksgiving; Miss Eleanor Castleman read an interesting article on customs of the early American Thanksgiving and how other nations observe the day; Mrs. Anne Hederick, WPA adult teacher told the story of "The Coming of the Corn."

Several amusing contests were held with Mrs. Pauline Hayman, winner in "word building"; Mrs. O. C. Roberts on "Chrysanthemum Petals," and "Turkey Haven," and Mrs. Abernathy and Mrs. Holiman in Chinese checkers.

Miss Marjory Dan Kelly entertained with a buffet supper in the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. D. W. Kelly, honoring her holiday house-guest, Miss Ruth Endsley of Alexandria, and Miss Laura Turner, who was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Turner.

Guests present were Miss Endsley, Miss Turner, Miss Sue Williams, Miss Laura Mae Williams, Miss Francis Briggs, Miss Roberta Reeves, Mrs. Cyrus McGinty of Winnfield, Mr. and Mrs. John Brown McIntosh, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Kelly, J. D. McIntosh, Dean McCormick, Troy Cotton, Jim Penuell, John Hester, John T. Lee, W. H. Marris.

Group One of the Junior auxiliary met at the home of Janice Vining last Monday and packed a basket that was presented to a needy family for Thanksgiving.

At a meeting of the Christian Service of the Methodist church the following officers were elected: Mrs. Jesse James, president; Mrs. A. C. Monroe, vice-president; Mrs. Shawkey, corresponding secretary; Mrs. J. L. McKenzie, Jr., recording secretary; Mrs. C. H. Neely, treasurer; Mrs. Lavelle Wilson, local treasurer; Mrs. Sartis Bassett, young woman's group secretary; Mrs. L. L. James, superintendent children's work; Mrs. J. R. McIntosh, superintendent of mission and Bible study; Mrs. D. N. Copeland, superintendent of literature and publicity; Mrs. J. T. Williams, superintendent of world outlook; Mrs. D. W. Kelly, superintendent of Christian relations; Mrs. R. V. Reeves, superintendent of supplies; Mrs. Clyde Turner, superintendent of local work.

Mrs. J. D. Copeland entertained her music pupils at a theater party. Among those present were: Adrienne Smith, Barbara Lou Smith, Esta Fay Hurley, Betty Jean Rodgers, Patsy Hudson, Iris Jean Cheatham, Marvel Kelly Cheatham, Patricia Jane Copeland, Jean and Juanita Copeland and Mrs. Copeland.

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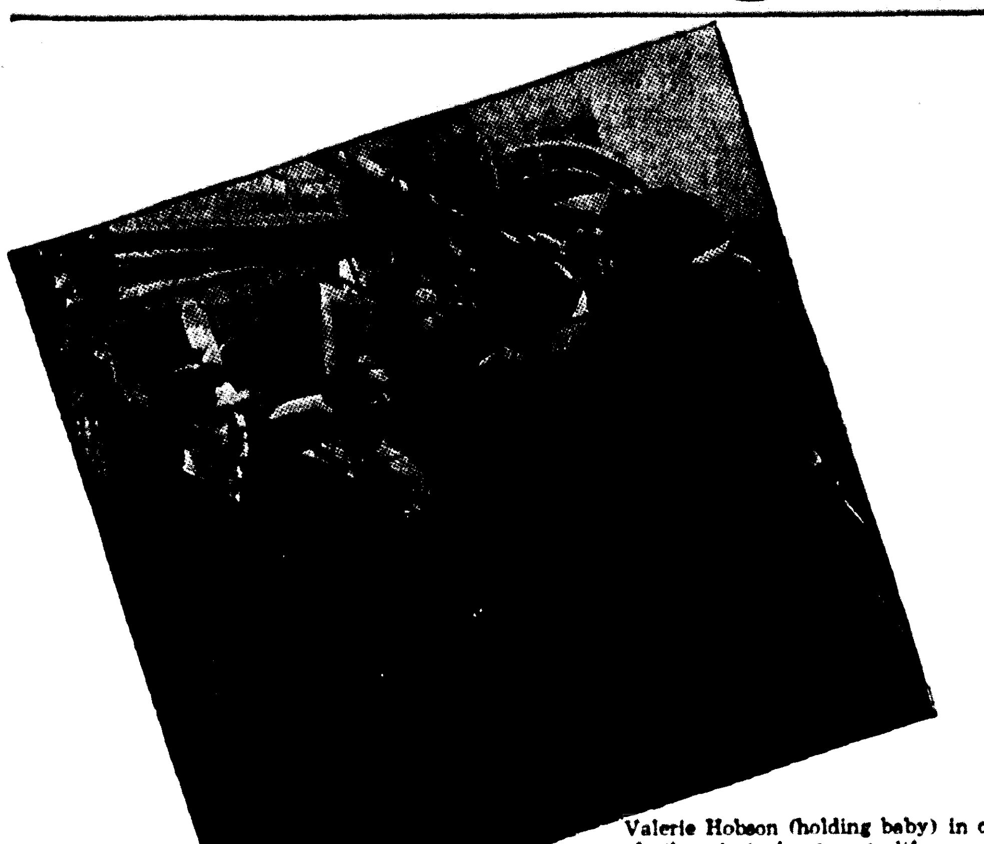
'Drums Along The Mohawk' Opens At Paramount Today



Valerie Hobson (holding baby) in one of the daringly true-to-life scenes from the sensational "U-Boat 29" showing the terror and confusion aboard a passenger steamer when attacked by a submarine. Conrad Veidt and Sebastian Shaw are also featured in this amazing and thrilling drama of espionage which shows today and Monday at the Capitol theater.

Adolphe Menjou, Joan Bennett and William Gargan emerge with a collective smile after a series of merry mix-ups which occur during the action of "The Housekeeper's Daughter," a gay romance which is slated to show at the Paramount theater Friday and Saturday. John Hubbard, George E. Stone and Lillian Bond are also featured.

"Oliver Quade," encyclopedic salesman-sleuth, played for the first time on the screen by Lynne Overman in the new comedy-mystery, "Death of a Champion," which shows Thursday only at the Capitol theater. Here Robert Paige, Susan Paley, Virginia Dale and Joseph Allen, Jr., are ostensibly assisting him in his deductive cerebrations.

Colbert And Fonda Star In New Hit

Spectacular Technicolor Film Tells Of Hardships Of Pioneers

OF all the possible ways there are of presenting action for the public's entertainment, the screen has proved time and again its unrivalled power in this field. Reading about action always left the actual picture of excitement to the reader's own imagination while action on the stage is limited by space, props and scope.

But on the screen the scope is limitless. Skilful photography has produced amazing scenes so vivid in their realism that audiences have thrilled to the marrow. Yet never has the action of battle been filmed so realistically and excitingly as in Darryl F. Zanuck's production of "Drums Along the Mohawk." Filmed in Technicolor by Bert Glennon, the cameraman of "Stagecoach" under the direction of John Ford, the 20th Century Fox picture presents a new high in action, one that will be long remembered by all who see it.

Action is not the only highlight of "Drums Along the Mohawk." Starred in the film are Claudette Colbert and Henry Fonda as a pair of young pioneers who settle in the Mohawk valley and soon find themselves under the onslaught of the savage Iroquois. In the days when torch and tomahawk spread their terror, these two braved the wilderness together.

The film is based on the best-seller by Walter D. Edmonds, renowned author whose Mohawk valley background is matched only by Henry Fonda, who himself was born and raised in the valley and bears one of its best-known names.

Featured in the cast are Edna May Oliver, Eddie Collins, John Carradine, Doris Bowdon, Jessie Ralph, Arthur Shields, Robert Lowery and Roger Imhof. The screen play was written by Lamar Trotti and Sonya Levien.

Not the least remarkable fact about "Drums Along the Mohawk," which comes to the Paramount theater today, is the great location trip that marked its production. More than 300 studio workers and actors were transported to a valley in Utah which approximated New York's famed locale. There a little town was built, complete with shops and even a local newspaper, which lasted for just a month.

Shoulder to shoulder Claudette Colbert and Henry Fonda face the savage onslaught of the fierce Iroquois in the production of "Drums Along the Mohawk," a rare entertainment treat filmed in technicolor and showing today, Monday and Tuesday at the Paramount theater. Edna May Oliver, Eddie Collins, Dorris Bowdon and John Carradine are also starred.

Six-year-old Irene Dare, who is the centre of the new spectacle-romance, "Everything's On Ice," feature attraction coming to the Capitol screen Tuesday only. The picture's supporting cast includes such popular screen players as Roscoe Karnes, Edgar Kennedy, Lynne Roberts, Eric Linden and Bobby Watson.

Lewis Stone, William Garagan, Ann Sothern in "Joe and Ethel Turp Call On the President," the hilarious comedy coming to the Paramount screen Wednesday and Thursday with Walter Brennan, Marsha Hunt and Tom Neal in grand support.

PROGRESSIVE CLUB TO GIVE BENEFIT

The Progressive Men's club of which Tony Marsala is president, will conduct an amateur program in the Ouachita Parish High school auditorium December 21 at 8 p.m. as a benefit.

The program will be open to all amateurs in the Twin Cities and vicinity. Judges will be taken from members of the audience and three prizes will be awarded. The first will be a Waltham watch; the second, a diamond ring; and the third a candid camera.

The entertainment will comprise songs, dances, recitations and other entertainment features. The public is invited to enter as participants which they can do by addressing George Guerriero, P. O. Box 390.

Funds that are realized will be used for the furtherance of a community project.

Only a small admission fee will be charged at the door.

Colonel William Ross paid $653 for a ticket to hear Jenny Lind sing, and then did not attend the concert.

This Week's Movie Program

AT THE PARAMOUNT

TODAY, MONDAY AND TUESDAY—Claudette Colbert and Henry Fonda in "Drums Along the Mohawk," with Edna May Oliver, Eddie Collins, Jessie Ralph, John Carradine, Dorris Bowdon, Arthur Shields, Robert Lowery and Roger Imhoff.

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY—"Joe and Ethel Turp Call on the President," with Ann Sothern, Lewis Stone, Walter Brennan, William Gargan, Marsha Hunt and Tom Neal.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY—Joan Bennett and Adolph Menjou in "The Housekeeper's Daughter," with John Hubbard, William Gargan, George E. Stone, Peggy Wood, Donald Meek and Victor Mature.

SATURDAY MIDNIGHT SHOW—Melvyn Douglas and Joan Blondell in "The Amazing Mr. Williams," with Ruth Donnelly, Clarence Kolb, Edward Brophy and John Wray.

AT THE CAPITOL

TODAY AND MONDAY—"U-Boat 29," with Conrad Veidt, Sebastian Shaw, Valerie Hobson, Marius Goring and June Duprez.

TUESDAY—Irene Dare in "Everything's on Ice," with Roscoe Karns, Edgar Kennedy, Lynne Roberts, Eric Linden, Mary Hart, George Meeker and Bobby Watson.

WEDNESDAY—Bette Davis and Miriam Hopkins in "The Old Maid," with George Brent, Donald Crisp, Jane Bryan, Louise Fazenda, James Stephenson, William Lundigan and Cecilia Loftus.

THURSDAY—"Death of a Champion," with Lynne Overman, Virginia Dale, Joseph Allen, Jr., Donald O'Connor, Susan Paley and Robert Paige.

FRIDAY—Gary Cooper, Ray Milland and Robert Preston in "Beau Geste," with Brian Donlevy, Susan Hayward, J. Carrol Naish, Donald O'Connor and James Stephenson.

SATURDAY—"Heritage of the Desert," with Donald Woods, Evelyn Venable, Russell Hayden, Robert Barrat and Sidney Toler.

JURY DELAYS REPORT

FERRIDAY, La., Dec 9.—(Special)—The grand jury of Concordia parish which has been in session for the past week, has postponed its report to Judge R. R. Reeves until January 23. The report will be made at this time as other cases may come up for investigation between this time and then. The jury went into session on Monday and investigated a number of charges, finally adjourning on Friday. There were a number of witnesses examined and several true bills of indictments will be returned when the jury reports in January.

FEDERAL SAVINGS PAYS SEMI-ANNUAL DIVIDEND DEC. 31

Declaration by its board of directors of a regular 2 per cent semi-annual dividend was announced yesterday by the First Federal Savings and Loan association of Monroe. It will be paid shareholders December 31.

The association, which was organized in November of 1933, has been paying dividends at the rate of 4 per cent per annum since July 1, 1934. The dividend announced yesterday is a continuation of this rate and the policy of paying dividends in two 2-per-cent semi-annual installments.

Besides the amount set aside for the payment of the dividend, the association announced it had earned, during the past six months, a sum sufficient to set up all required reserves and pass a substantial amount to undivided profits.

Investments of shareholders in the First Federal Savings and Loan association are insured up to $5,000 by the Federal Savings and Loan Insurance corporation of Washington, D. C.

Clyde R. Brown, Monroe attorney, is president of the association; T. O. Bancroft, vice president; and James Heard, Jr., secretary. In addition to the officers, the board of directors is composed of G. B. Cooley, S. J. Rogers, W. W. Kellogg, Henry Biedenharn, Robert M. Breard, Jr., Claude Harrison, W. D. H. Rodriguez and J. E. Marx.

PARTY RETURNS FROM 4-H CLUB CONGRESS

Miss Grace Winkler of Standard, who, with a party of 32 others from Louisiana was named to attend the annual 4-H club congress in Chicago, returned from a week's trip Saturday morning. She represented the state in food preparation at the congress.

A series of dinners, luncheons and demonstrations were held and sightseeing trips to Chicago's outstanding points of interest were on the program for the week.

The boys and girls are said to have an outing that was both recreational and at the same time educational.

Four leading steel ingot producing states in 1937 were, in respective order, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana and Illinois.

Miriam Hopkins (left), Bette Davis in "The Old Maid," spectacular and powerful drama coming to the Capitol screen Wednesday only. George Brent, Jane Bryan, Donald Crisp, Louise Fazenda and James Stephenson head the supporting cast.

"The Amazing Mr. Williams," which co-stars Melvyn Douglas and Joan Blondell at the Paramount theater midnight show Saturday, presents the former as a debonair detective so busy solving crimes that he can never find time to marry the girl! Others in the cast of the comedy are Ruth Donnelly, Edward Brophy and Lulu Alberni.

'U-Boat 29' Now Playing At Capitol

Ruthless Warfare On High Seas Shown In Thrilling Picture

THE catastrophe now sweeping Europe is brought to vivid actuality on the screen of the Capitol theater, where Columbia's "U-Boat 29" presents a stirringly dramatic picture of a war-smitten England desperately battling enemy spies and submarines.

With Conrad Veidt, Valerie Hobson and Sebastian Shaw in the featured roles, and said to be based upon actual incidents in the last World war, "U-Boat 29" bears an amazing resemblance at times to recent events abroad. Particularly is this true in the case of the thrill-tense climax of the new film, in which a passenger vessel, laden with women and children, is torpedoed by an undersea craft.

For the most part, however, "U-Boat 29" confines itself to the bitter struggle between an enemy agent and the counter-espionage network. By thus confining the war to the efforts of individuals, director Michael Powell achieves an atmosphere so taut with life-and-death conflict that his cameras automatically embrace in scope the world-wide disaster and its significance.

Veidt is seen to perfection as the submarine commander suddenly assigned to espionage work. Ordered to make contact with a young schoolmistress on a lonely island off the Scottish coast, and to receive plans from her for British naval movements, Veidt is seemingly successful in his mission when he discovers that he actually is dealing not with a fellow-spy but with a counter-espionage agent. In his efforts to escape, he dons the garb of an English clergyman and makes his way to the Scottish coastal steamer which is sunk by his own submarine.

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'Drums Along The Mohawk' Opens At Paramount Today

Valerie Hobson (holding baby) in one of the daringly true-to-life scenes from the sensational "U-Boat 29" showing the terror and confusion aboard a passenger steamer when attacked by a submarine. Conrad Veidt and Sebastian Shaw are also featured in this amazing and thrilling drama of espionage which shows today and Monday at the Capitol theater.

Adolphe Menjou, Joan Bennett and William Gargan emerge with a collective smile after a series of merry mix-ups which occur during the action of "The Housekeeper's Daughter," a gay romance which is slated to show at the Paramount theater Friday and Saturday. John Hubbard, George E. Stone and Lillian Bond are also featured.

"Oliver Quade," encyclopedic salesman-sleuth, played for the first time on the screen by Lynne Overman in the new comedy-mystery, "Death of a Champion," which shows Thursday only at the Capitol theater. Here Robert Paige, Susan Paley, Virginia Dale and Joseph Allen, Jr., are ostensibly assisting him in his deductive cerebrations.

Colbert And Fonda Star In New Hit

Spectacular Technicolor Film Tells Of Hardships Of Pioneers

OF all the possible ways there are of presenting action for the public's entertainment, the screen has proved time and again its unrivalled power in this field. Reading about action always left the actual picture of excitement to the reader's own imagination, while action on the stage is limited by space, props and scope.

But on the screen the scope is limitless. Skillful photography has produced amazing scenes so vivid in their realism that audiences have thrilled to the marrow. Yet never has the action of battle been filmed so realistically and excitingly as in Darryl F. Zanuck's production of "Drums Along the Mohawk." Filmed in Technicolor by Bert Glennon, the cameraman of "Stagecoach," under the direction of John Ford, the 20th Century-Fox picture presents a new high in action, one that will be long remembered by all who see it.

Action is not the only highlight of "Drums Along the Mohawk." Starred in the film are Claudette Colbert and Henry Fonda, as a pair of young pioneers who settle in the Mohawk valley and soon find themselves under the onslaught of the savage Iroquois. In the days when torch and tomahawk spread their terror, these two braved the wilderness together.

The film is based on the best-seller by Walter D. Edmonds, renowned author whose Mohawk valley background is matched only by Henry Fonda, who himself was born and raised in the valley and bears one of its best-known names.

Featured in the cast are Edna May Oliver, Eddie Collins, John Carradine, Doris Bowdon, Jessie Ralph, Arthur Shields, Robert Lowery and Roger Imhof. The screen play was written by Lamar Trotti and Sonya Levien.

Not the least remarkable fact about "Drums Along the Mohawk," which comes to the Paramount theater today, is the great location trip that marked its production. More than 300 studio workers and actors were transported to a valley in Utah which approximated New York's famed locale. There a little town was built, complete with shops and even a local newspaper, which lasted for just a month.

Shoulder to shoulder Claudette Colbert and Henry Fonda face the savage onslaught of the fierce Iroquis in the production of "Drums Along the Mohawk," a rare entertainment treat filmed in technicolor and showing today, Monday and Tuesday at the Paramount theater. Edna May Oliver, Eddie Collins, Dorris Bowdon and John Carradine are also starred.

This Week's Movie Program

AT THE PARAMOUNT

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WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY—"Joe and Ethel Turp Call on the President," with Ann Sothern, Lewis Stone, Walter Brennan, William Gargan, Marsha Hunt and Tom Neal.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY—Joan Bennett and Adolph Menjou in "The Housekeeper's Daughter," with John Hubbard, William Gargan, George E. Stone, Peggy Wood, Donald Meek and Victor Mature.

SATURDAY MIDNIGHT SHOW—Melvyn Douglas and Joan Blondell in "The Amazing Mr. Williams," with Ruth Donnelly, Clarence Kolb, Edward Brophy and John Wray.

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TODAY AND MONDAY—"U-Boat 29," with Conrad Veidt, Sebastian Shaw, Valerie Hobson, Marius Goring and June Duprez.

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THURSDAY—"Death of a Champion," with Lynne Overman, Virginia Dale, Joseph Allen, Jr., Donald O'Connor, Susan Paley and Robert Paige.

FRIDAY—Gary Cooper, Ray Milland and Robert Preston in "Beau Geste," with Brian Donlevy, Susan Hayward, J. Carrol Naish, Donald O'Connor and James Stephenson.

SATURDAY—"Heritage of the Desert," with Donald Woods, Evelyn Vehable, Russell Hayden, Robert Barrat and Sidney Toler.

JURY DELAYS REPORT

FERRIDAY, La., Dec. 9.—(Special)—The grand jury of Concordia parish which has been in session for the past week, has postponed its report to Judge R. R. Reeves until January 23.

The report will be made at this time as other cases may come up for investigation between this time and then. The jury went into session on Monday and investigated a number of charges, finally adjourning on Friday. There were a number of witnesses examined and several true bills of indictments will be returned when the jury reports in January.

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FEDERAL SAVINGS PAYS SEMI-ANNUAL DIVIDEND DEC. 31

Declaration by its board of directors of a regular 2 per cent semi-annual dividend was announced yesterday by the First Federal Savings and Loan association of Monroe. It will be paid shareholders December 31.

The association, which was organized in November of 1933, has been paying dividends at the rate of 4 per cent per annum since July 1, 1934. The dividend announced yesterday is a continuation of this rate and the policy of paying dividends in two 2-per-cent semi-annual installments.

Besides the amount set aside for the payment of the dividend, the association announced it had earned, during the past six months, a sum sufficient to set up all required reserves and pass a substantial amount to undivided profits.

Investments of shareholders in the First Federal Savings and Loan association are insured up to $5,000 by the Federal Savings and Loan Insurance corporation of Washington, D. C.

Clyde R. Brown, Monroe attorney, is president of the association; T. O. Bancroft, vice president; and James Heard, Jr., secretary. In addition to the officers, the board of directors is composed of G. B. Cooley, S. J. Rogers, W. W. Kellogg, Henry Biedenharn, Robert M. Breard, Jr., Claude Harrison, W. D. H. Rodriguez and J. E. Marx.

PARTY RETURNS FROM 4-H CLUB CONGRESS

Miss Grace Winkler of Standard, who, with a party of 32 others from Louisiana was named to attend the annual 4-H club congress in Chicago, returned from a week's trip Saturday morning. She represented the state in food preparation at the congress.

A series of dinners, luncheons and demonstrations were held and sightseeing trips to Chicago's outstanding points of interest were on the program for the week.

The boys and girls are said to have an outing that was both recreational and at the same time educational.

Four leading steel ingot producing states in 1937 were, in respective order, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana and Illinois.

Six-year-old Irene Dare, who is the centre of the new spectacle-romance, "Everything's On Ice," feature attraction coming to the Capitol screen Tuesday only. The picture's supporting cast includes such popular screen players as Roscoe Karnes, Edgar Kennedy, Lynne Roberts, Eric Linden and Bobby Watson.

Miriam Hopkins (left), Bette Davis in "The Old Maid," spectacular and powerful drama coming to the Capitol screen Wednesday only. George Brent, Jane Bryan, Donald Crisp, Louise Fazenda and James Stephenson head the supporting cast.

"The Amazing Mr. Williams," which co-stars Melvyn Douglas and Joan Blondell at the Paramount theater midnight show Saturday, presents the former as a debonair detective so busy solving crimes that he can never find time to marry the girl! Others in the cast of the comedy are Ruth Donnelly, Edward Brophy and Luis Alberni.

Lewis Stone, William Garagan, Ann Sothern in "Joe and Ethel Turp Call On the President," the hilarious comedy coming to the Paramount screen Wednesday and Thursday with Walter Brennan, Marsha Hunt and Tom Neal in grand support.

'U-Boat 29' Now Playing At Capitol

Ruthless Warfare On High Seas Shown in Thrilling Picture

THE catastrophe now sweeping Europe is brought to vivid actuality on the screen of the Capitol theater, where Columbia's "U-Boat 29" presents a stirringly dramatic picture of a war-smitten England desperately battling enemy spies and submarines.

With Conrad Veidt, Valerie Hobson and Sebastian Shaw in the featured roles, and said to be based upon actual incidents in the last World war, "U-Boat 29" bears an amazing resemblance at times to recent events abroad. Particularly is this true in the case of the thrill-tense climax of the new film, in which a passenger vessel, laden with women and children, is torpedoed by an undersea craft.

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PROGRESSIVE CLUB TO GIVE BENEFIT

The Progressive Men's club of which Tony Marsala is president, will conduct an amateur program in the Ouachita Parish High school auditorium December 21 at 8 p.m. as a benefit.

The program will be open to all amateurs in the Twin Cities and vicinity. Judges will be taken from members of the audience and three prizes will be awarded. The first will be a Waltham watch; the second, a diamond ring; and the third a candid camera.

The entertainment will comprise songs, dances, recitations and other entertainment features. The public is invited to enter as participants which they can do by addressing George Guerriero, P. O. Box 390.

Funds that are realized will be used for the furtherance of a community project.

Only a small admission fee will be charged at the door.

Colonel William Ross paid $653 for a ticket to hear Jenny Lind sing, and then did not attend the concert.

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By Edna Liggin

BERNICE, La., Dec. [illegible] (Special) Letters [illegible]

[illegible] were only ten that had died the night before we were there. We went to the dead house, a place kept on purpose for that business. It is an awful bad sight to see twenty or thirty dead men in a pile. We went up into (not legible) and taken a retrospective view of the great southern metropolis which had it not been for the [illegible] we could have seen much more. [illegible] We went up into the dissecting room where there was about twenty [illegible] women and negroes about [illegible] a little room [illegible] as large as a wagon [illegible] persons' bones that [illegible] there the night before. I can't tell you all I saw in [illegible] letter.

We have a fine place in Griffin [illegible] The people are generally [illegible] every night [illegible] But I want to [illegible] at Shiloh [illegible] school's [illegible] I hope [illegible] to enjoy myself [illegible] to get back. There [illegible] in Griffin [illegible] off [illegible]

[illegible]

Another letter was written from Vicksburg to Captain Tabor himself [illegible] If we can hold the territory we now have the Yankees can never starve us out. (July 26, 1863.) General Johnson has issued orders to furlough one man of every 25 and an officer from a company. Two men from our company and officer are George Harper and Oner Loveland and Captain Graham. It is to continue wherever these men return, others will go home. My time will come about Christmas if I live. There is no conveyance now only private and on the stages which on the other side of the river. The only thing I fear the Yankees may capture them. My health is good now. I am very anxious to hear from you all. Tell brother John I want to see him worse than I ever did. Tell him not to try to bring too much when he comes. For it is a long road. My love to Tommie and Nathan and to all."

Another letter written in 1857 tells of how the young men of Shiloh, wishing a higher education, managed to obtain that learning. This letter is to Captain Tabor and is from Lewis Hopkins.

"Dear Friend and Schoolmate: Bob I very often think of our conversation that we had during last year and the many hearty laughs that we have taken together and wish myself back there to enjoy it again. . . . Bob, we were twelve days getting here. (Griffin, Ga.) We stopped two days in New Orleans with Zeke Booles. . . . We found Zeke at the hospital, he had gone down to see the sick. We went in and saw the most that were in there sick. There was almost every kind of disease in the hospital that you ever heard of. It was a disagreeable place. There

[illegible] April [illegible] was a [illegible] beautiful spring. Perhaps it was a long time before [illegible]

[illegible] Consequently the faculty [illegible] rooms every night. Now we will have the event she is trying to write something of interest of her brother. A short time since it seems that a great many of the boys were about to go [illegible]. They left their rooms [illegible] and were [illegible] up Jack in general when the teachers came across them. They were not very far from Mr. Roy's and we could hear them very distinctly. It seemed to me every boy had a bell. There was one that had two or three and he seemed the leader. Mr. Clegg seeing him ran with great speed, follows, 'Head the bell-cow, Brother Stacey.' Mr. Stacey attempts to do so, but the boy runs off and ceases ringing the bell. Mr. Stacey despairs of catching him upon the hill when the boy commences ringing with renewed energy. The next day Mr. Clegg received an April fool which consisted of his profile with the words, 'Head the bell-cow, Mr. Stacey' just escaping his lips. Isn't it funny? . . .

"Brother, we had holiday Good Friday and I must tell you how I spent it. Miss Amelia and I translated French all morning. I read all evening. I think we translated nearly 50 pages. Don't you think that was profitably spent?"

At the time of the writing of these letters Shiloh, later to have a college itself, had only a three-month school and those who wanted other learning went to Georgia, Homer, later to Mt. Lebanon. These letters form only a small part of the reminders of bygone days found in an old trunk at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Tabor.

From this community have come famous men, a host of teachers, preachers and doctors, among them, the late Governors Heard and Pleasant, and ex-Senator E. B. Robinson.

MONTGOMERY WARD MAKES YULE GIFTS

All parent-accompanied children visiting the toy department of the Montgomery Ward store here are receiving from Santa Claus himself a distinctive Christmas resemblance—a booklet entitled "Rudolph, the Red-Nosed Reindeer."

Two million, four hundred thousand copies of the story are being distributed by Montgomery Ward stores in more than 800 towns scattered through all the 48 states. The tale deals with a little red-nosed reindeer who was the object of ridicule of his playmates until he saved the day for Santa Claus one foggy Christmas eve night. With his shining red nose providing fog-penetrating light, he enabled the benevolent old gentleman to complete his round on schedule. And thereupon he became a hero.

Teachers and psychologists are said to be hailing the tale, written for Montgomery Ward by Robert L. May and illustrated by Denver Gillen, as the perfect Christmas story for children. It so impressed John Barrymore, the noted actor, that he requested an autographed copy and changed the script of his current play, "My Dear Children," to include mention of "Rudolph."

Mr. May and Mr. Gillen are members of the retail sales staff of the Montgomery Ward store in Chicago.

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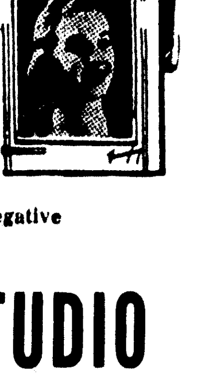

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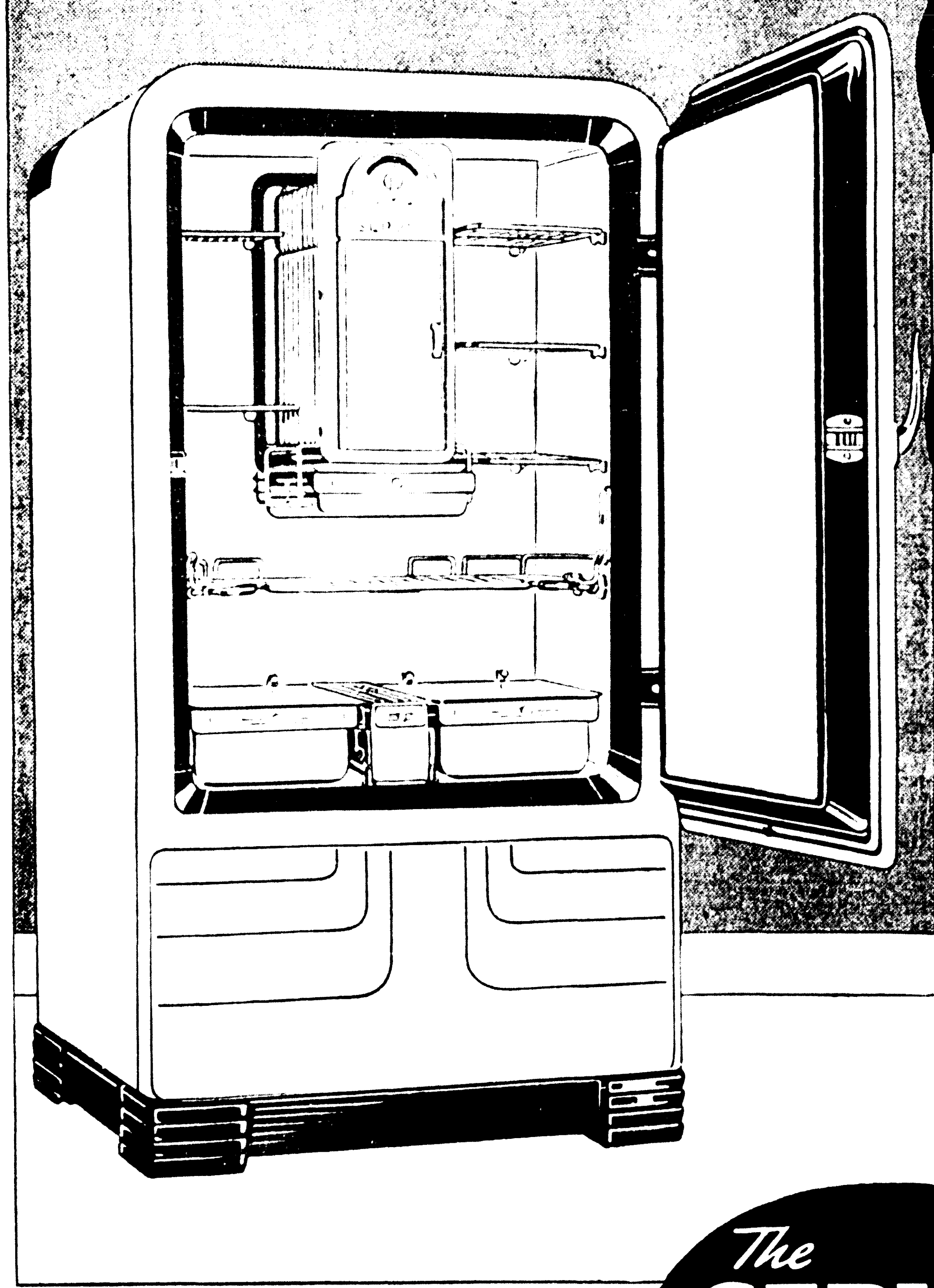

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WPA projects located in three parishes have received federal allotment, according to a report received from the office of Representative Newt V. Mills. They are located in Madison, East Carroll and Ouachita parishes.

The two projects in Madison parish are as follows: A non-federal project to rehabilitate Canal bayou near Tallulah for elimination of mosquito breeding places. The sponsors are the state board of health and the Madison parish police jury. The sum allocated is $2,990. The second Madison parish project is the draining of swamps and ponds in the village of Tallulah and psonsors are the village of Tallulah and the state board of health, the sum of the allotment being $1,839.

The East Carroll project is for the rehabilitation of drainage canals and ditches throughout the parish of Madison for mosquito control purposes. The state board of health and the East Carroll police jury are sponsors and the allotment is $11,401.

The two Ouachita parish projects are as follows: Project one is for the clearing of trees, underbrush, stumps and debris in Bayou DeSiard to eliminate mosquito breeding places. The Ouachita parish police jury and state board of health are sponsors. The sum allocated is $9,270.

The second project concerns Young's bayou, near Monroe, and is accorded an allotment of $12,622. The city of Monroe and Ouachita parish police jury are sponsors. The project is described as follows: Developing, rehabilitating and making of general improvements to the city of Monroe surface water drainage system including improving lower Young's bayou, by clearing and grubbing right-of-way and channel, lowering grade line to uniform grade, enlarging channel section, wrecking small bridges over channel, and performing appurtenant and incidental work.

CAKEWALK AT SCHOOL PROVES SUCCESSFUL

A cakewalk and political rally, sponsored jointly by the Fondale school and the Logtown Demonstration club, was held at the school auditorium Friday night. Approximately 300 heard the speakers representing candidates for state and parish offices.

From a financial standpoint the affair was a success, the sum of $72 being raised, the proceeds being divided equally between the school and the club.

The largest single unit of radium in use in any of the hospitals involved in a recent survey is a 4½-gram pack, or 4,500 milligrams.

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Ancient Letters Tell Of Life Around Old Shiloh

S. P. Tabor Owns Trunk Filled With Interesting Lore Of Bygone Days

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BERNICE, La., Dec. 9.—(Special)—Letters written almost a century ago, telling of education in north Louisiana, of ladies in Griffin, Ga., with hoop skirts on a blustery day, of hunting turkeys in the wilderness around Winnfield, of battling the Union troops in South Carolina (called Lincoln's tribe)—all these are found among the effects of the late Captain R. J. Tabor possessed today by his son, S. P. Tabor of Shiloh, near Bernice.

Captain Tabor, who was born on January 3, 1842, and died in 1924, quit teaching school to fight for the south, later returning to farm and act as superintendent of Sunday school for 35 years, and to represent his church at 49 consecutive Concord associations.

In June, 1861, times were also as today—full of war talk and politics. On the fifteenth of that month, J. W. Harrell penned a letter to R. J. Tabor from Tully, S. C. Portions of it read as follows: "It is with much pleasure I take upon myself the pleasant task of informing you of Times heare—There is a great deal of political excitement raging throughout this part of Carolina. . . . War is the topic of the day, but it is the general opinion of most of the people that we will never get them to stand and face a battle. They have had a light break or two at Fairfax, and some other points or at least we have news to that effect. We heard in a letter from one of the soldiers last Sunday that there was a regiment marching to some point and night overtook them before they reached the place. They left the road some distance and struck camp. There was supposed to be about 3,000 of Lincoln's tribe marched on them. They retreated as they were only 900 strong. The enemy still followed them. They marched until they ascended a hill. There they halted and made ready to fire on them and when they got into valley our men fired on them and continued for several rounds, killing 74 of the blacks and wounding a great many more. The enemy then retreated. There were only six of our men killed. . . .

"Robert, I staide in Orleans until Monday and also in Mobile one day to wate a boat. I got off the train at Timmonsville Sunday at 8 o'clock, home by 11. I received several gifts from the Gully ladies. Robert, I just got here in reaping time and I have enjoyed myself. Well, I have talked enough to fill a Bible. You know how anxious I was to talk before I left. It was four weeks that I never spoke to a lady. . . ."

Another letter was written from Vicksburg by Captain Tabor himself to his mother: "Crops are good here as I ever saw anywhere. There are plenty of rain all the time. If we can hold the territory we now have the Yankees can never starve us out. (July 26, 1863.) General Johnson has issued orders to furlough one man of every 25 and an officer from a company. Two men from our company and officer are George Harper and Obed Lovelady and Captain Graham. It is to continue whenever these men return; others will go home. My time will come about Christmas if I live. There is no conveyance now only private and in the stagecoach on the other side of the river. The only thing I fear the Yankees may capture them. My health is good now. I am very anxious to hear from you all. Tell brother John, I want to see him worse than I ever did. Tell him not to try to bring too much when he comes. For it is a long road. My love to Tommie and Nathan and to all."

Another letter written in 1857 tells of how the young men of Shiloh, wishing a higher education, managed to obtain that learning. This letter is to Captain Tabor and is from Lewis Hopkins.

"Dear Friend and Schoolmate: Bob, I very often think of our conversation that we had during last year and the many hearty laughs that we have taken together and wish myself back there to enjoy it again. . . . Bob, we were twelve days getting here. (Griffin, Ga.) We stopped two days in New Orleans with Zeke Booles. . . . We found Zeke at the hospital, he had gone down to see the sick. We went in and saw the most that were in there sick. There was almost every kind of disease in the hospital that you ever heard of. It was a disagreeable place. There were only ten that had died the night before we were there. We went to the dead house, a place kept on purpose for that business. It is an awful bad sight to see twenty or thirty dead men in a pile. We went up into—(not legible) and taken a retrospective view of the great southern metropolis which had it not been for the fog we could have seen much more of. We went up into the dissecting room where there was about twenty men and women and negroes about half cut up and into a little room, the floor about as large as a wagon bed full of dead persons' bones that they had thrown in there the night before. I can't tell you all I saw in this letter. . . .

"We have a fine place in Griffin to board. The people are generally refined. We have washed every night where we board. . . . Bob, I want to know who is teaching school at Shiloh now. Both male and female schools. How they are getting along. Who is flying around with the girls and which ones. What has been said about my not marrying and all about it. . . . I hope once more to enjoy myself about Shiloh if I should live to get back. There is also one in Griffin, one of the students, who is bad off with the measles.

"The school now is flourishing more than heretofore. There are about 80 or 82 students and more are coming in every day. I am very well pleased with the professors. I think they are fine men and have a fine education. . . . Please don't let anyone see this letter, lest they should criticize.

"Yours ever,

"W. L. HOPKINS."

Hopkins request wasn't granted, for almost one hundred years later his letter is still being read. The letter was written first horizontally, then vertically, to save postage, but is extremely hard to read, though the blue ink is still legible. Most of these letters are in black ink, with many flourishes and fancy letters.

Another letter from Lewis Hopkins tells what he studied at Griffin, Ga. Subjects such as Latin, Algebra, geometry, chemistry and phonography (art of writing by sound). He tells of coming from church and seeing several women in a bad predicament on account of the blustery day and their hoop skirts.

Here is an excerpt from a letter written by A. C. Wade to Captain Tabor: "I am just off a camp hunt today. I with several of others went into the wilderness about eight miles to hunt and tried to kill some turkeys, but we made a failure." The letter was headed Winnfield, the year 1860. A woman from Shiloh, named Mary Hutchinson, was teaching school there and had some thirty subscribers.

According to a letter written by Sue Tabor to her brother, Robert, from Homer where she was going to school, April, 1860, was a gay and beautiful spring. Perhaps it was a long time before she thought so again.

"In the first place you must know boys are not allowed to leave their rooms at night without permission. Consequently the faculty go to their rooms every night. Now we will have the event (she is trying to write something of interest of her brother). A short time since it seems that a great many of the boys were about to go wile. They left their rooms (which faculty soon found out) and were turning up Jack in general when the teachers came across them. They were not very far from Mr. Rop's and we could hear them very distinctly. It seemed to me every boy had a bell. There was one that had two or three and he seemed the leader. Mr. Clegg seeing him ran with great speed, hollows, 'Head the bell-cow, Brother Stacey!' Mr. Stacey attempts to do so, but the boy runs off and ceases ringing the bell. Mr. Stacey despairs of catching him upon the hill when the boy commences ringing with renewed energy. The next day Mr. Clegg received an April fool which consisted of his profile with the words, 'Head the bell-cow, Mr. Stacey' just escaping his lips. Isn't it funny? . . .

"Brother, we had holiday Good Friday and I must tell you how I spent it. Miss Amelia and I translated French all morning. I read all evening. I think we translated nearly 50 pages. Don't you think that was profitably spent?"

At the time of the writing of these letters Shiloh, later to have a college itself, had only a three-month school and those who wanted other learning went to Georgia, Homer, later to Mt. Lebanon. These letters form only a small part of the reminders of bygone days found in an old trunk at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Tabor.

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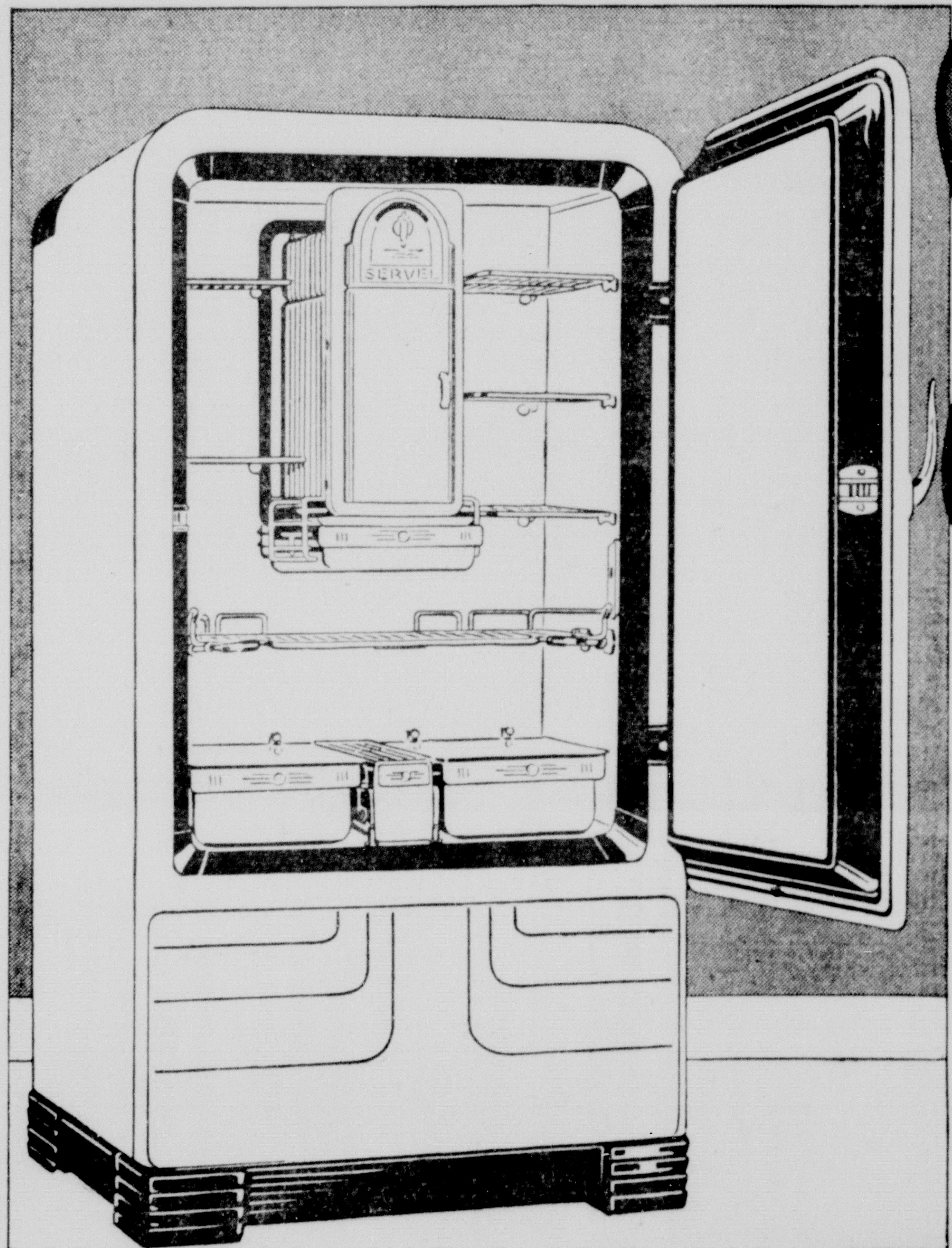

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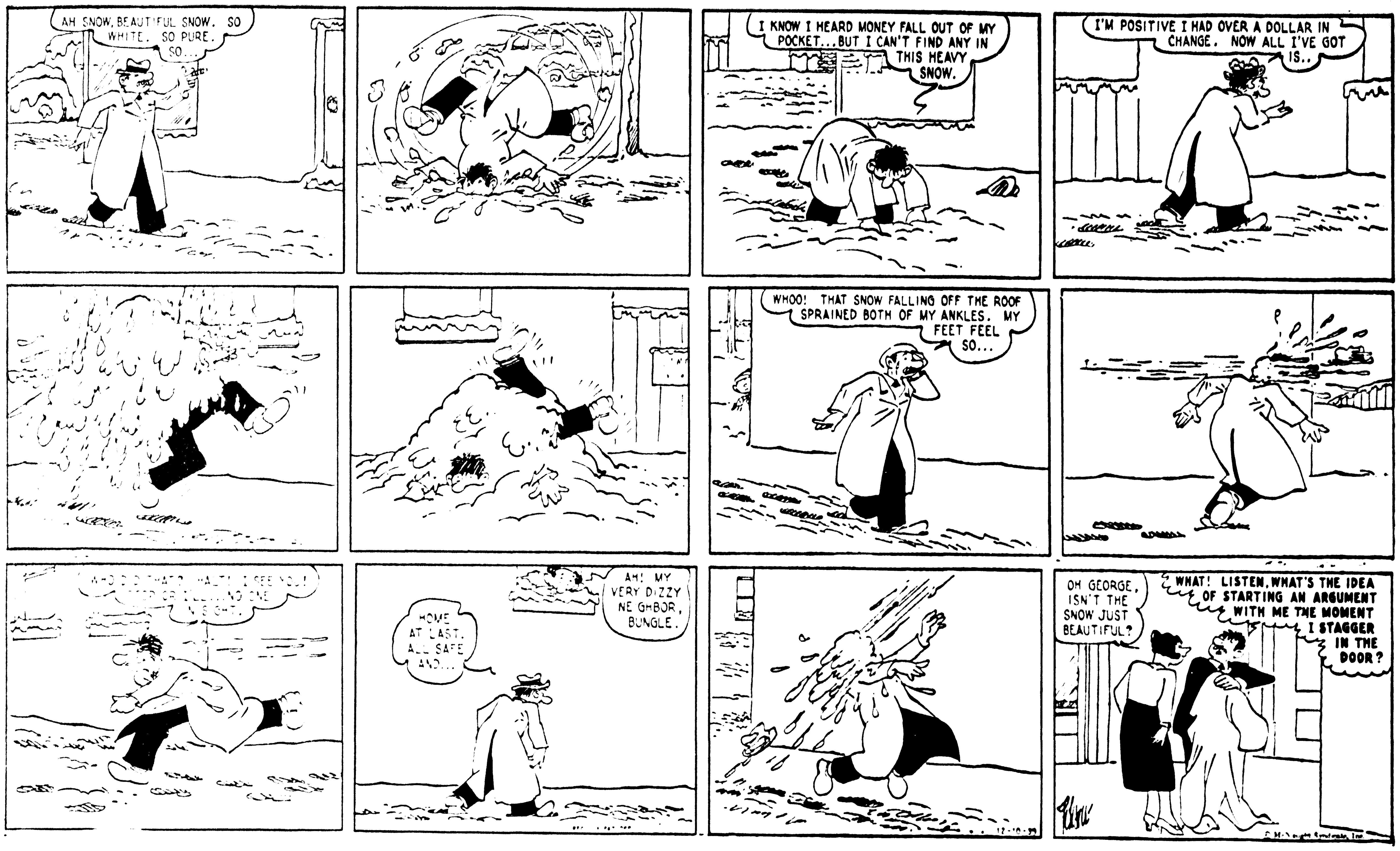

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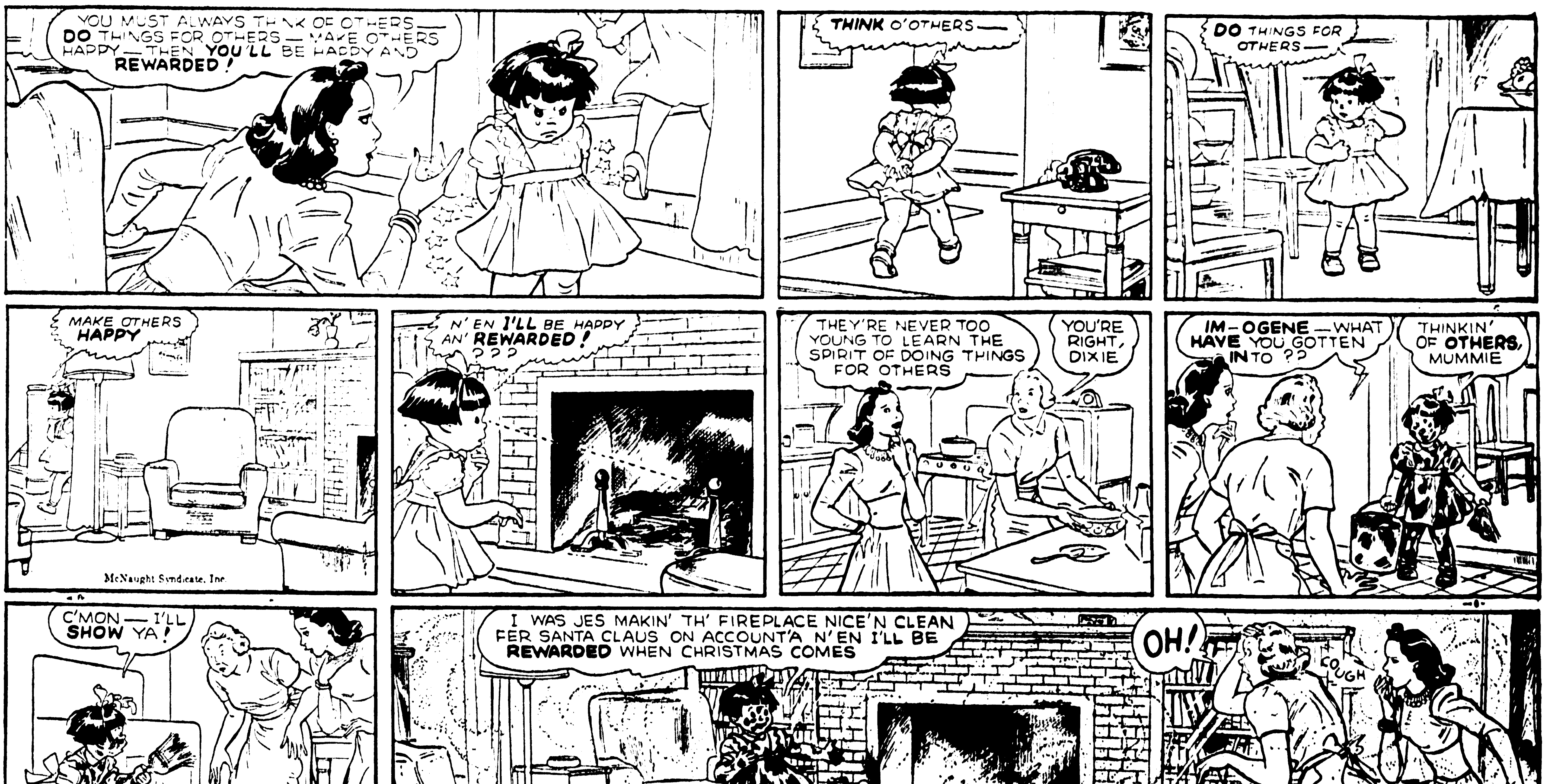

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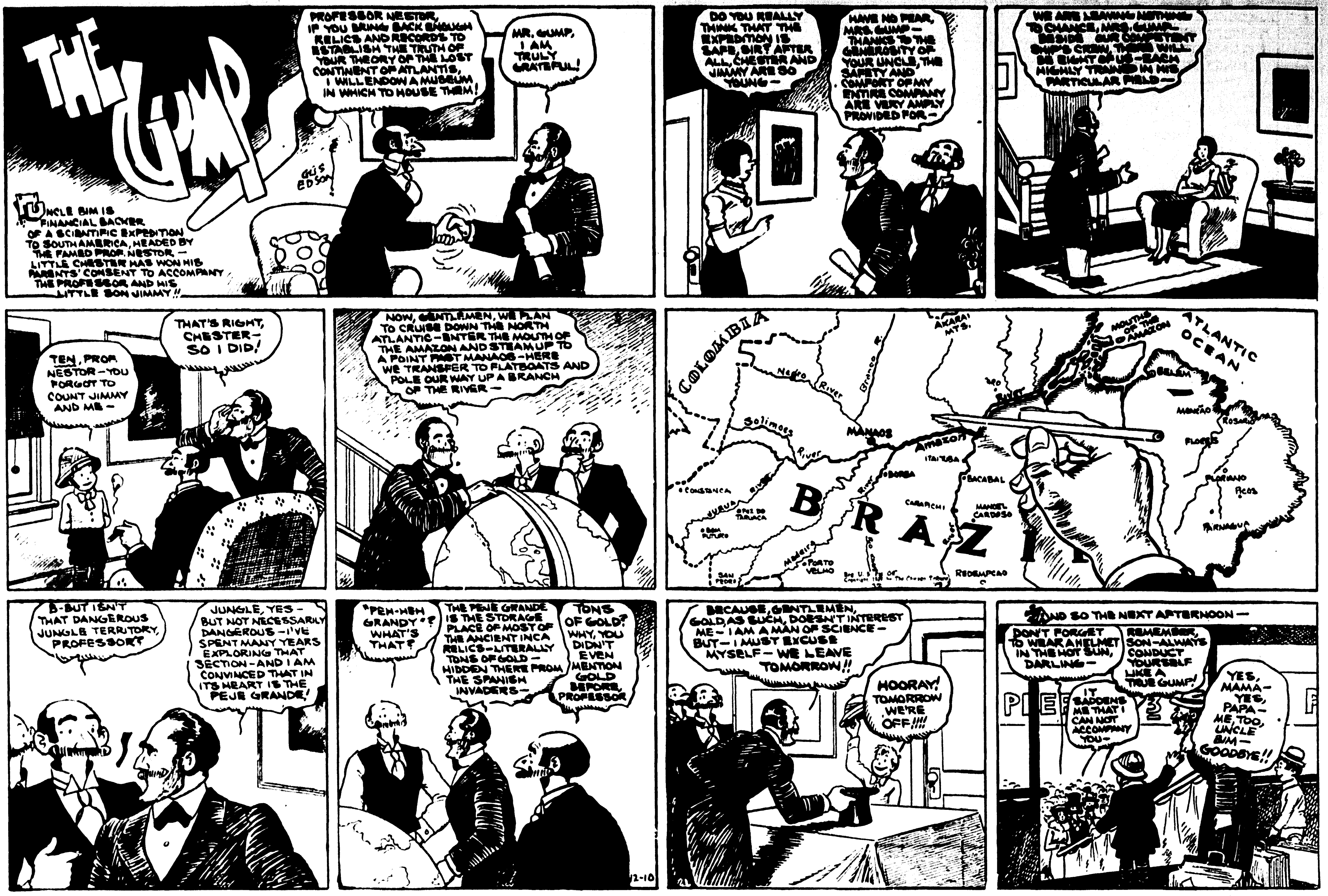
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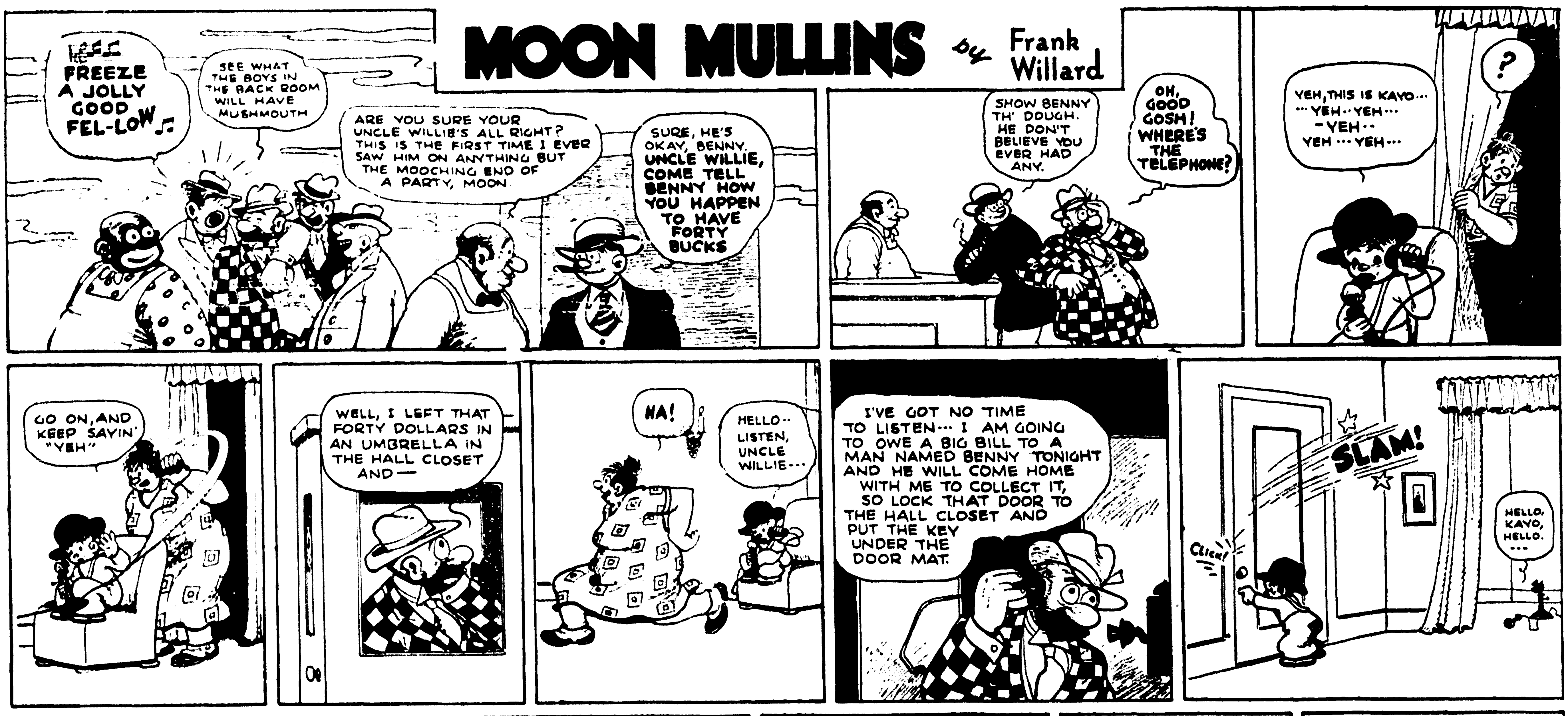
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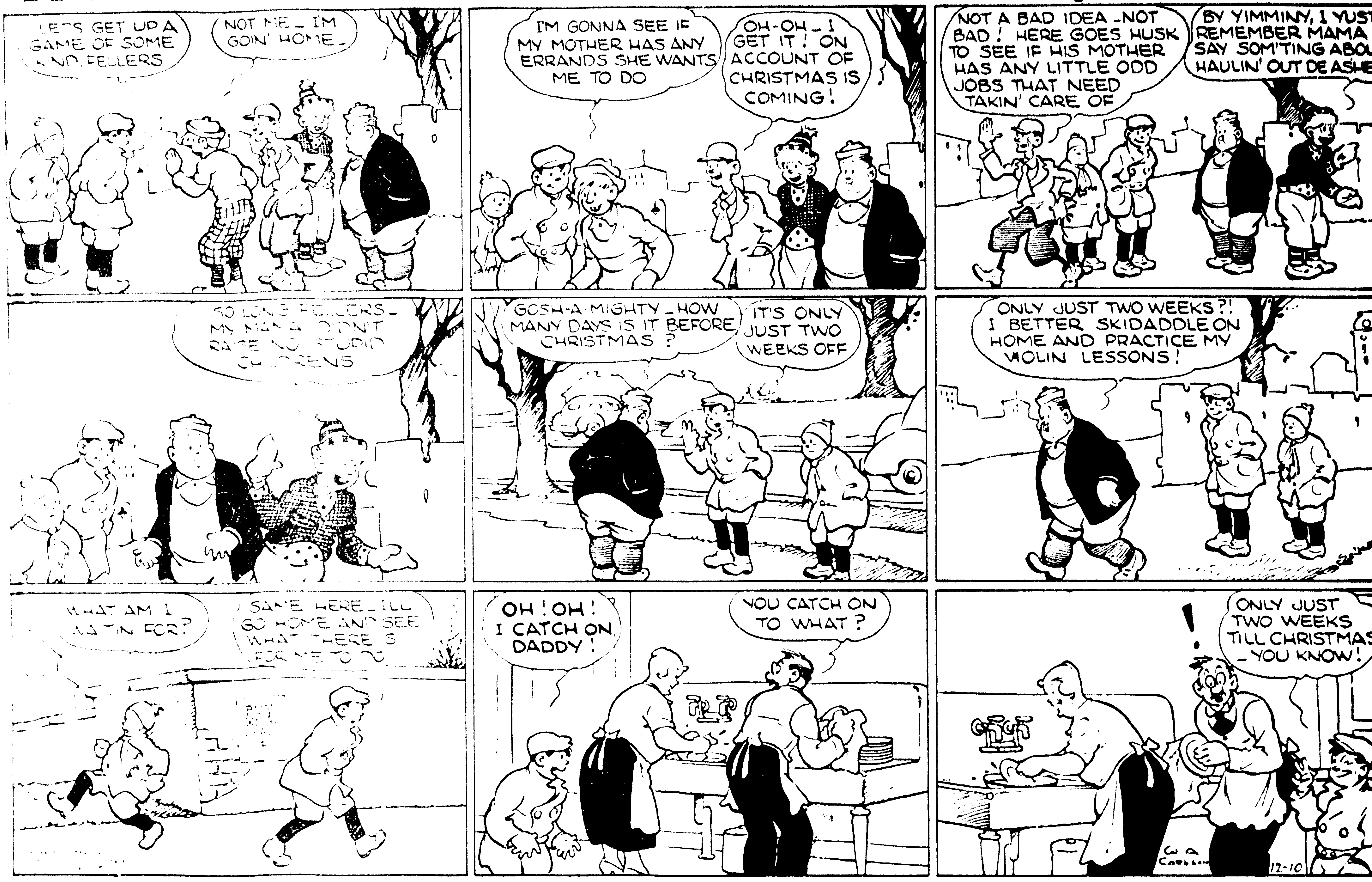

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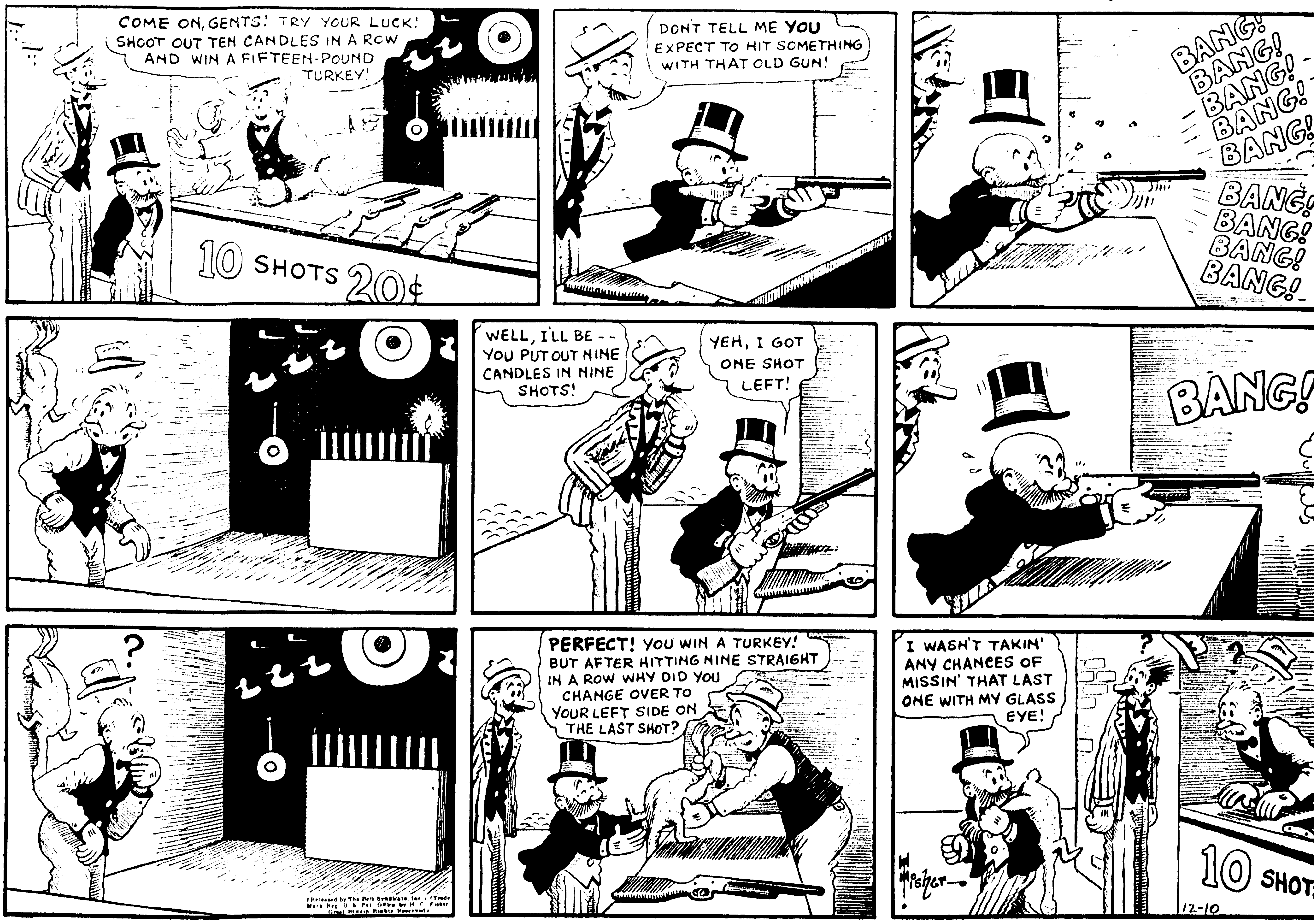

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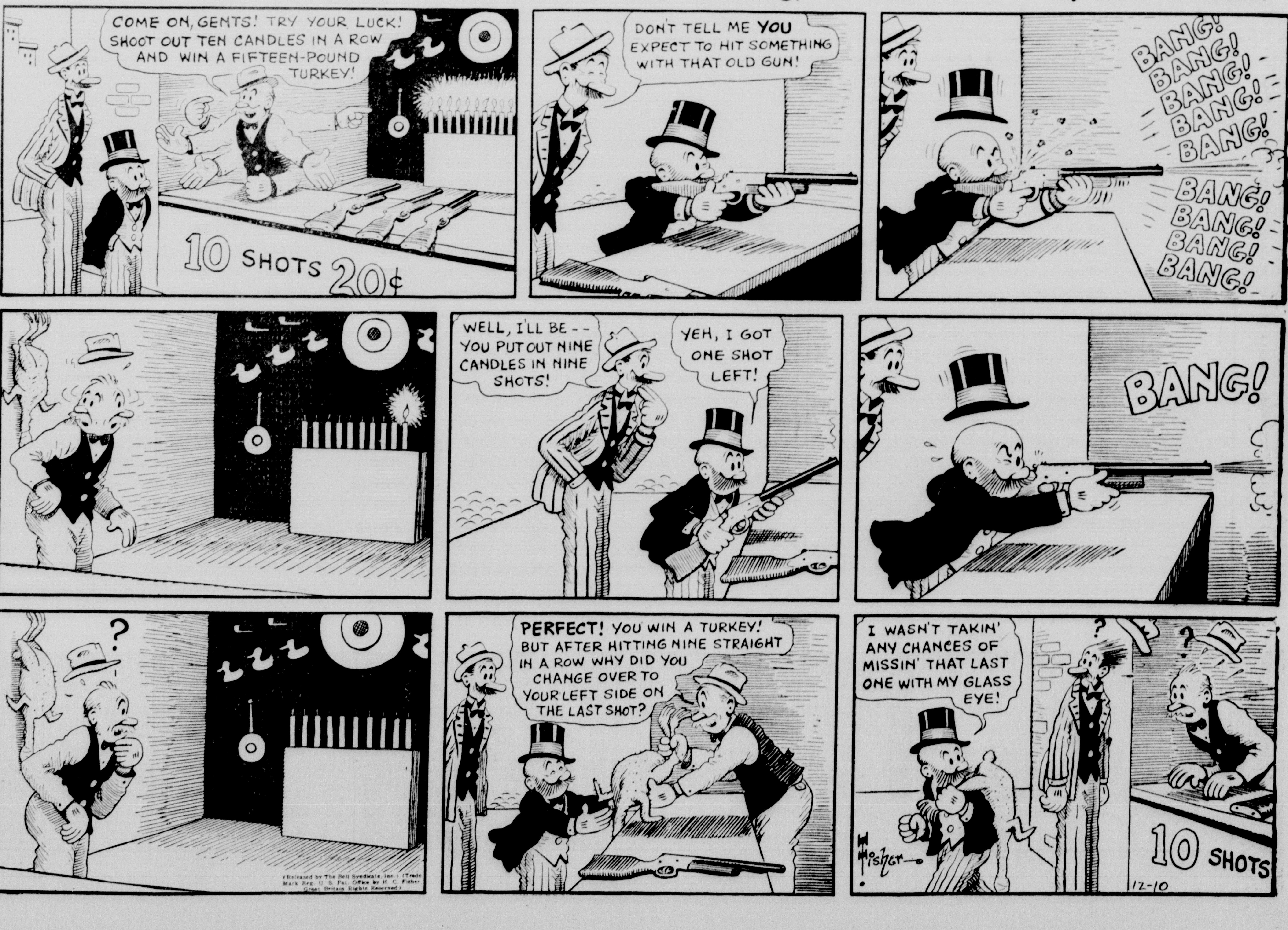

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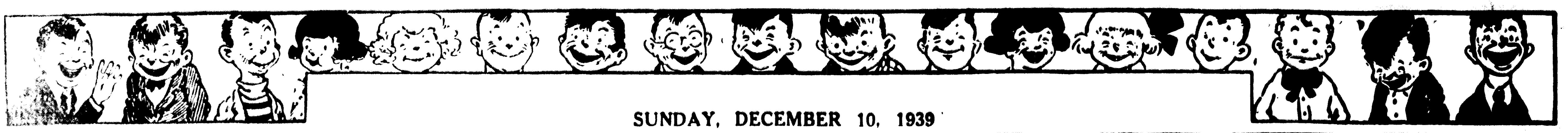

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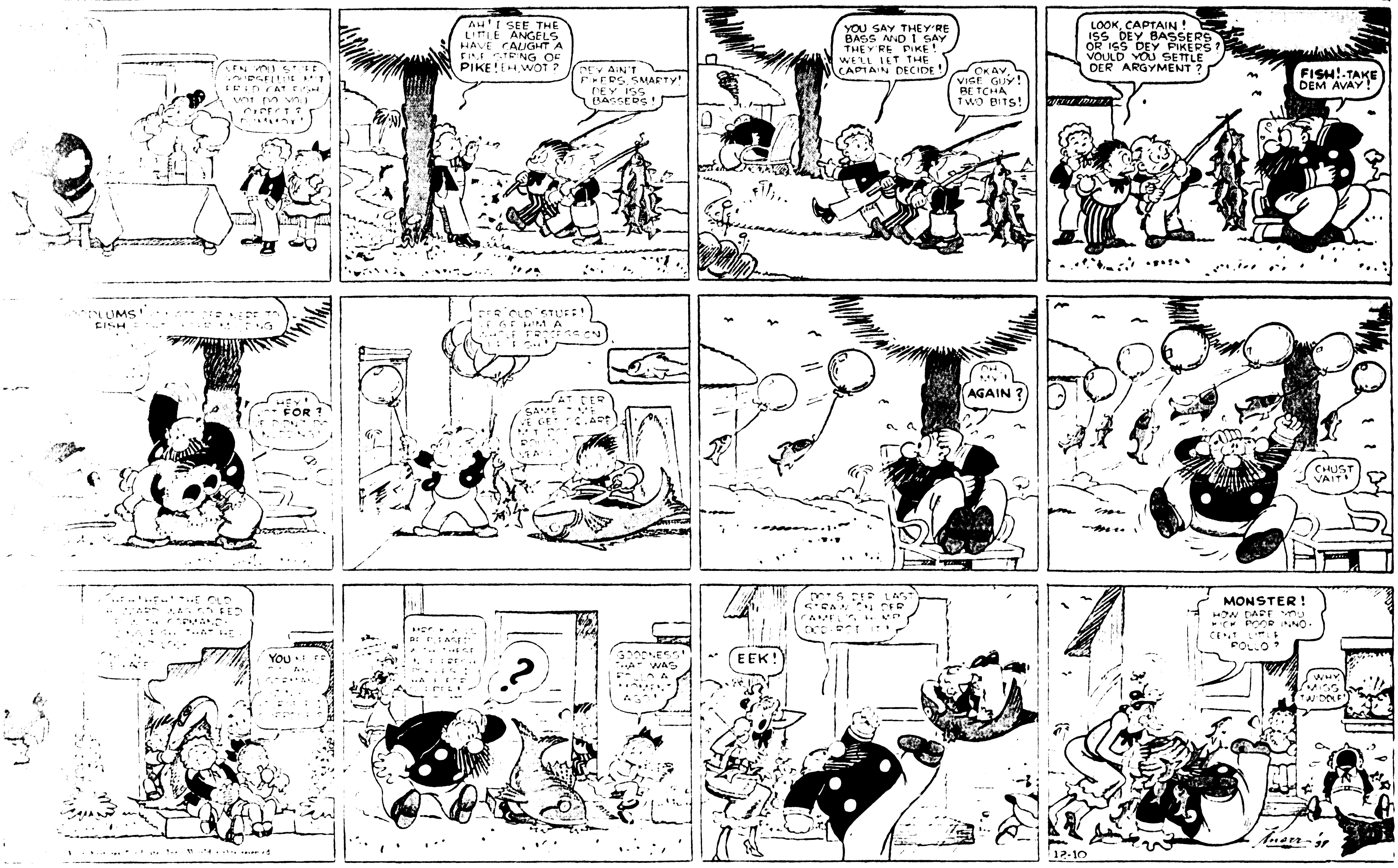

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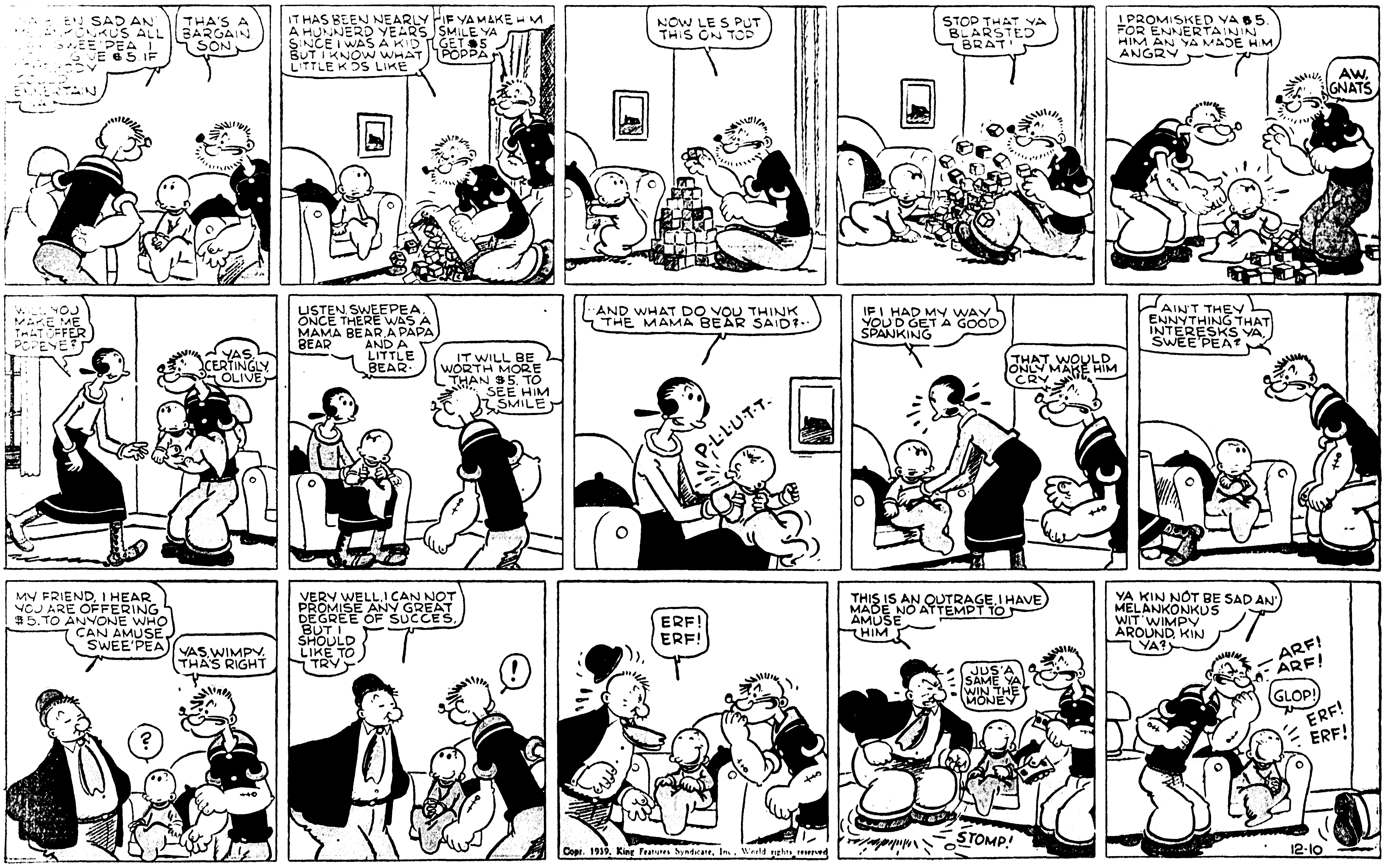

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MEET THE MYSTIC SANTA IN SEARS TOYLAND!
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Monroe

Monroe Morning World

MONROE, LOUISIANA, SUNDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1939

FIRST ANNUAL CHRISTMAS COLOR CONTEST

PRIZES

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10 PRIZES
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FOR THE BEST HAND-COLORED BOOKS

This book submitted by

Name ______________________

Age ______________________

Address ______________________

PRINT, DO NOT WRITE NAME AND ADDRESS

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Pardon our modesty, but we do think we have the knack of picking things men and boys like for Christmas . . . and our sporting goods department is packed with gifts they'll appreciate—cameras, guns, fishing tackle, and a complete line of equipment for every sport. Shop Sears tomorrow—and remember, you may purchase anything totaling $10 or more on Easy Monthly Terms.
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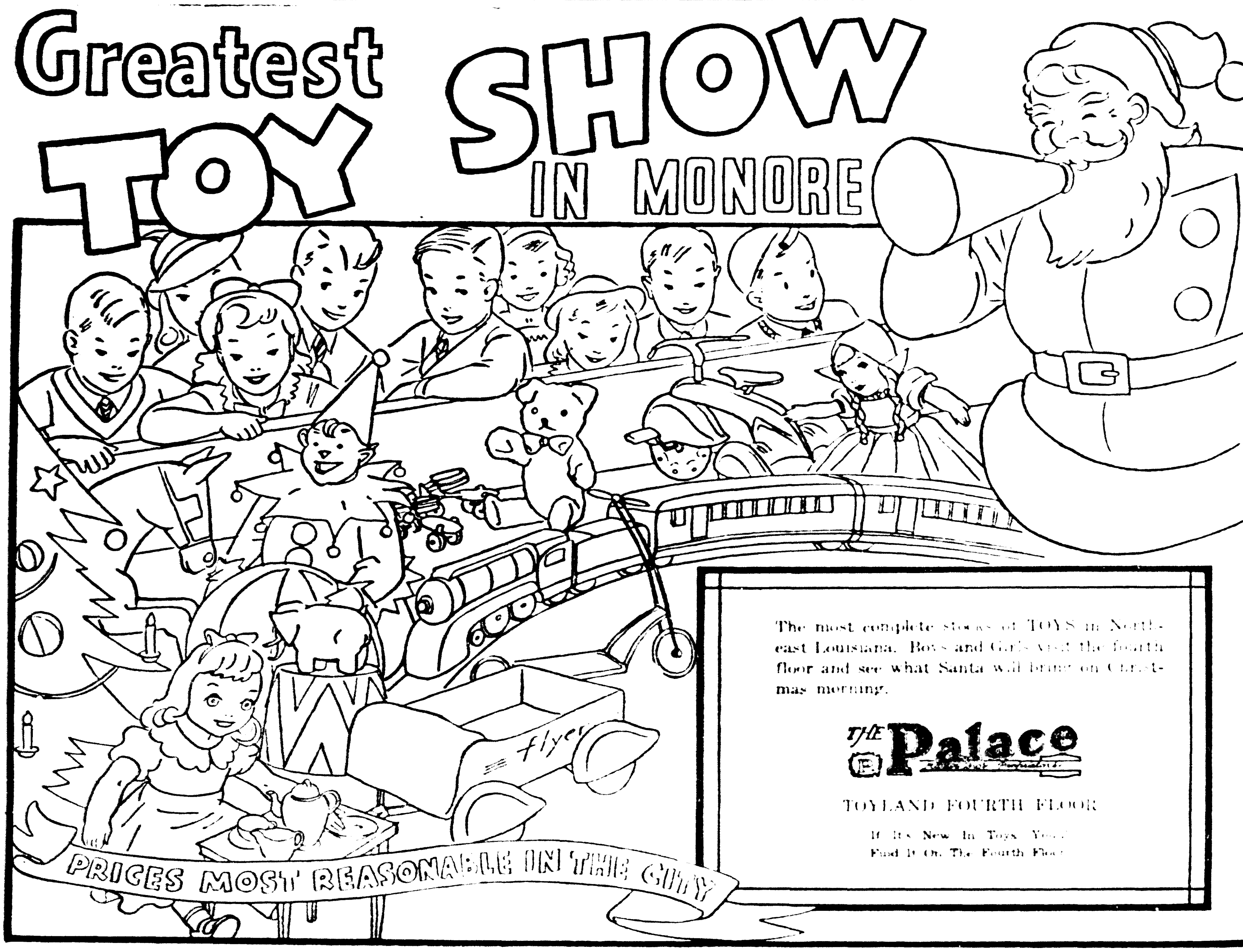

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YOU'LL HAVE
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and will be ready for the holiday season after a happy visit to our store
For Leisure Hours
SHOES
FOR THE ENTIRE FAMILY
WOMEN'S SHOES
HOUSE SLIPPERS
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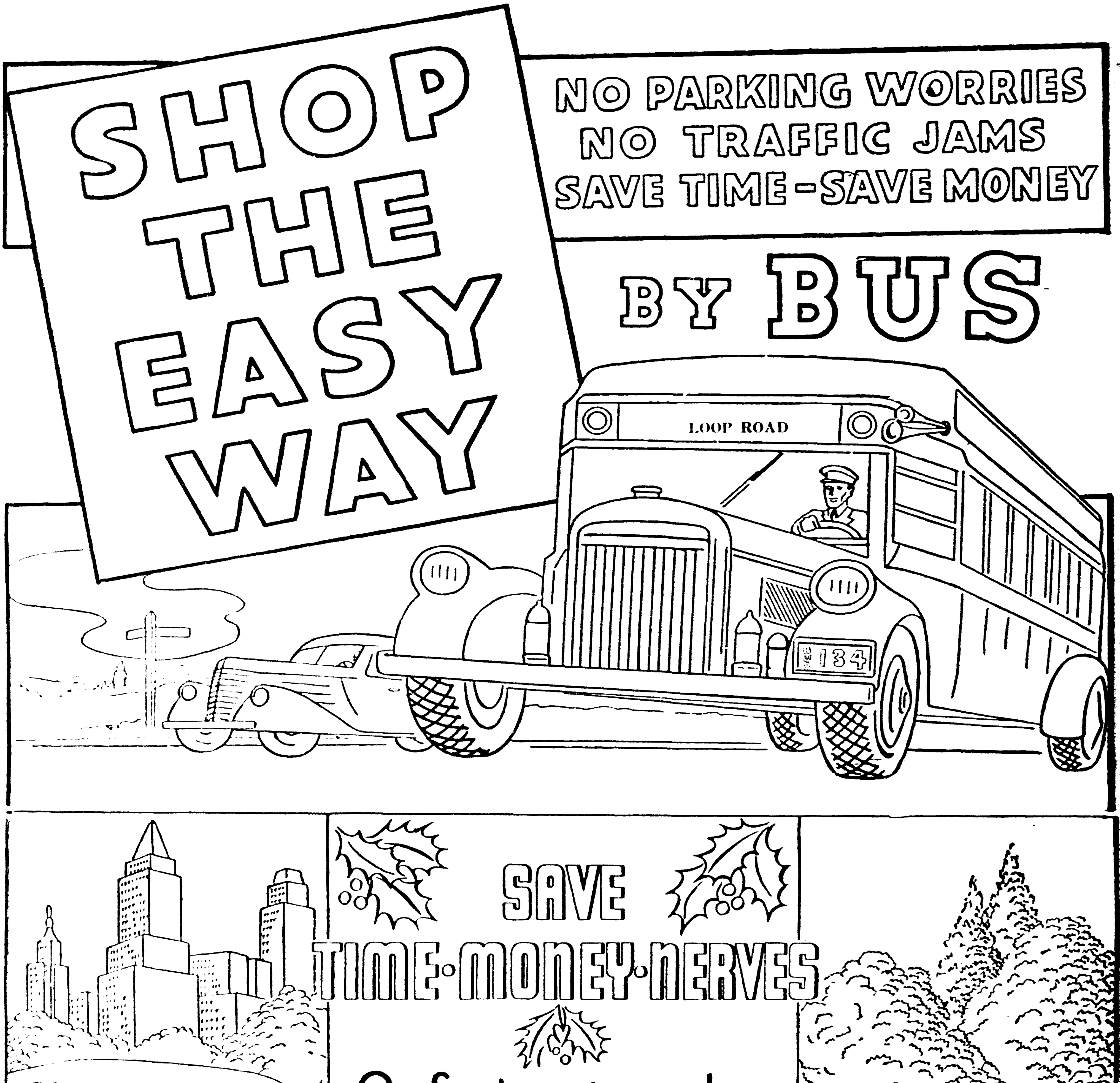
Women's Silk
HOSE
79c pr.
THE Dan Cohen CO.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Look your best...

TRY OUR BETTER CLEANING SERVICE

You'll find that the efficient Weil cleaning methods add months of life to your wearing apparel. . . . You don't have to worry about appearing shoddy either . . . because Weil's methods are thorough and your clothes are returned looking like new.

Have your work done early!

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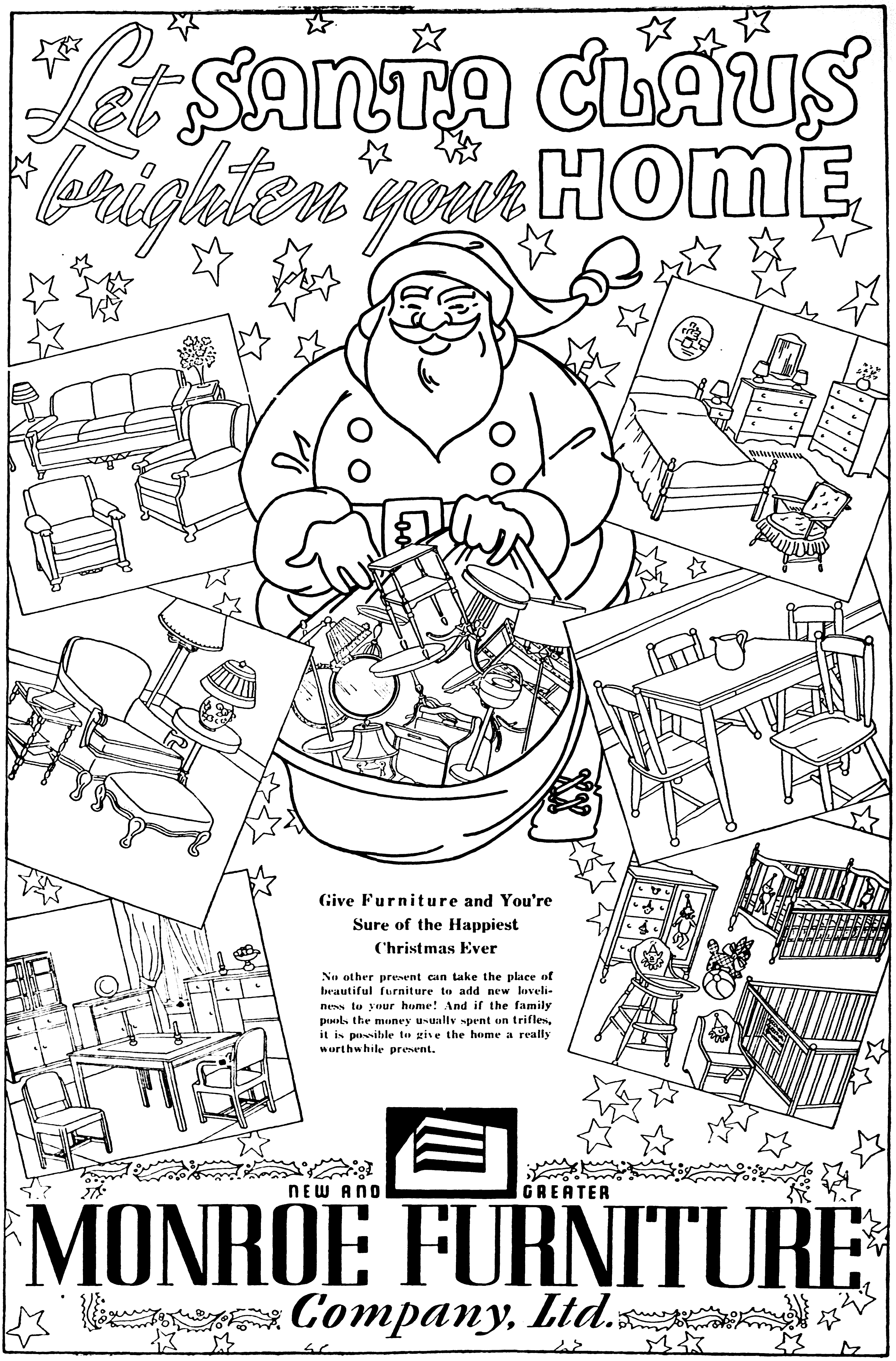
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Give Furniture and You're Sure of the Happiest Christmas Ever
No other present can take the place of beautiful furniture to add new loveliness to your home! And if the family pools the money usually spent on trifles, it is possible to give the home a really worthwhile present.
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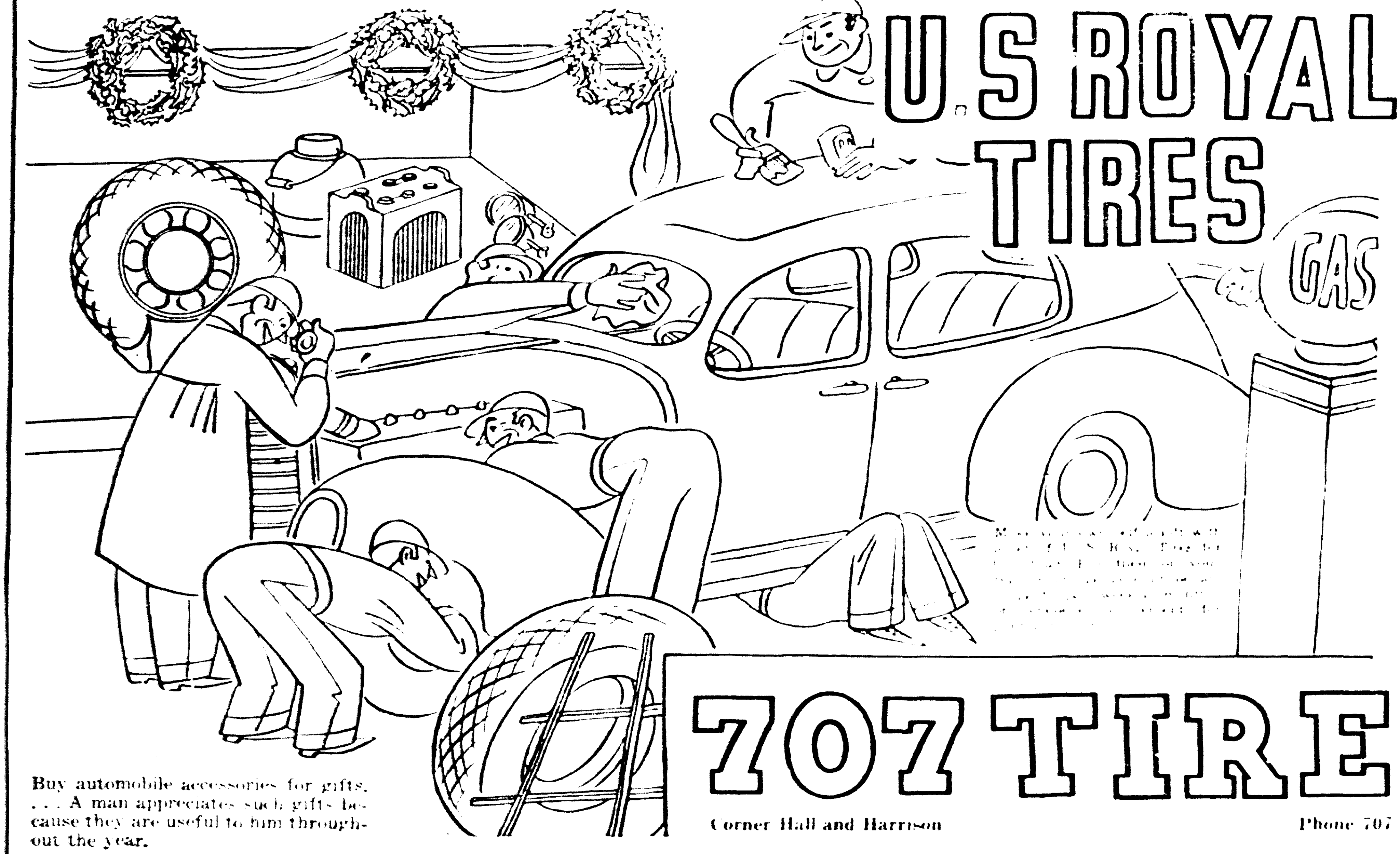
GET YOUR CAR READY WITH U.S ROYAL TIRES



Buy automobile accessories for gifts. . . . A man appreciates such gifts because they are useful to him throughout the year.

707 TIRE

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Lighten your burdens

Christmas shopping can become a joy through our special pre-holiday menus

Forget the stove and pans and pots,
Pretend you never owned 'em;
But here at Hemp's a goodly lot
in comfort and welcome!

HEMP'S CAFETERIA

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WITH A SENSIBLE GIFT

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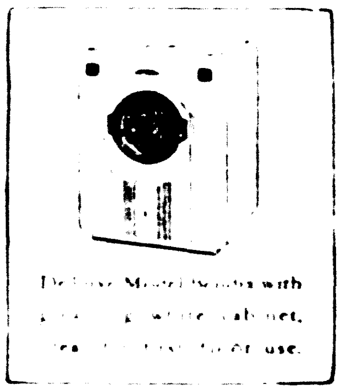
AUTOMATICALLY WASHES . . . RINSES . . . DAMP-DRIES



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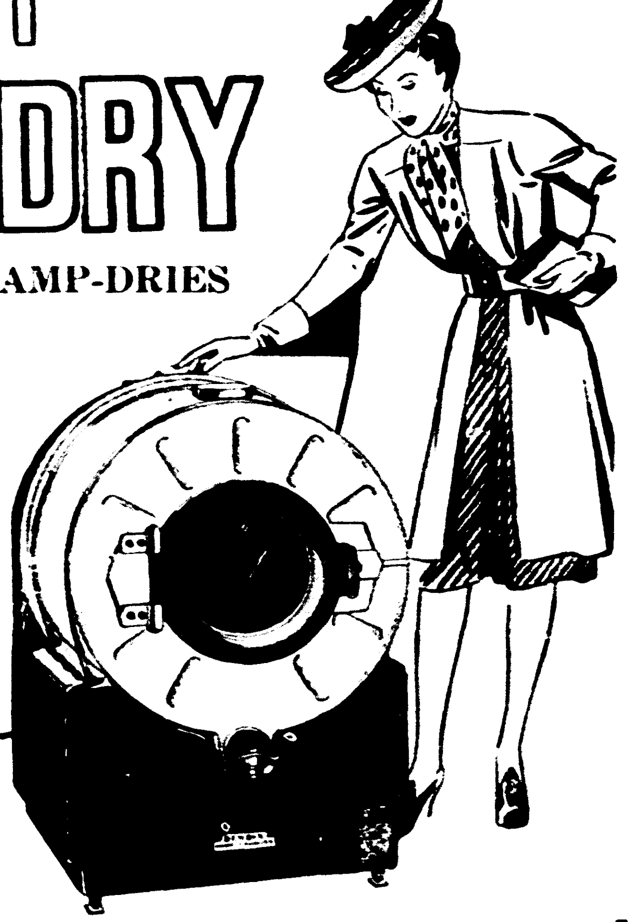


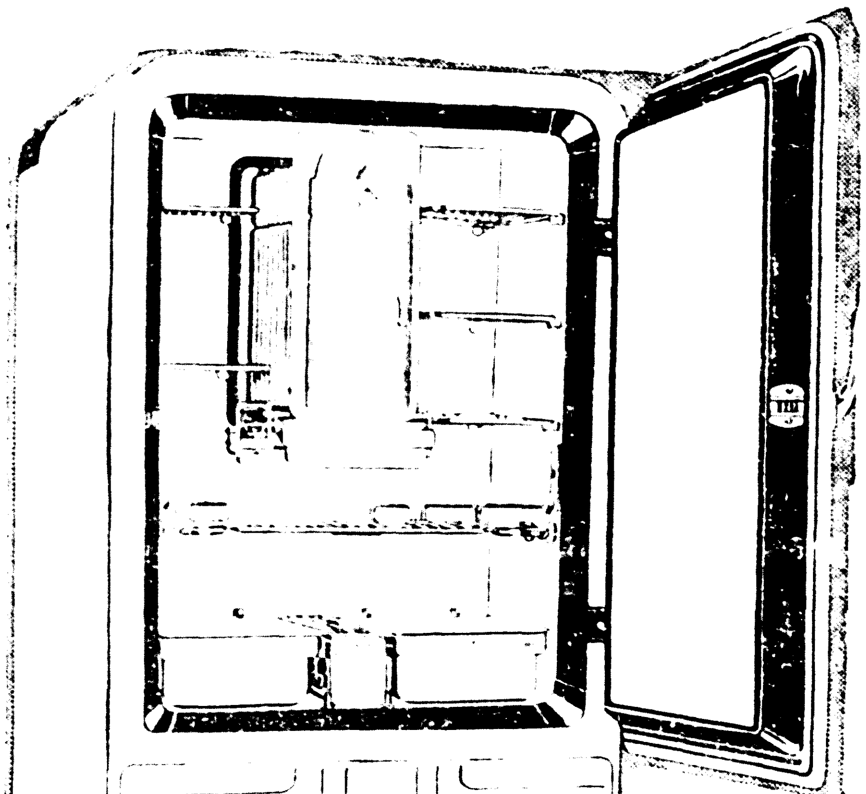
BUY HER THIS LABOR AND TIME SAVER THIS CHRISTMAS

Free Demonstrations

UNITED ELECTRIC SERVICE Inc

MONROE, LA.

Don't Gamble with Tomorrow's Food!



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OPERATES FOR AS LOW AS (1c) PER DAY

NO OTHER REFRIGERATOR GIVES YOU ALL THESE ADVANTAGES

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NO PARKING WORRIES
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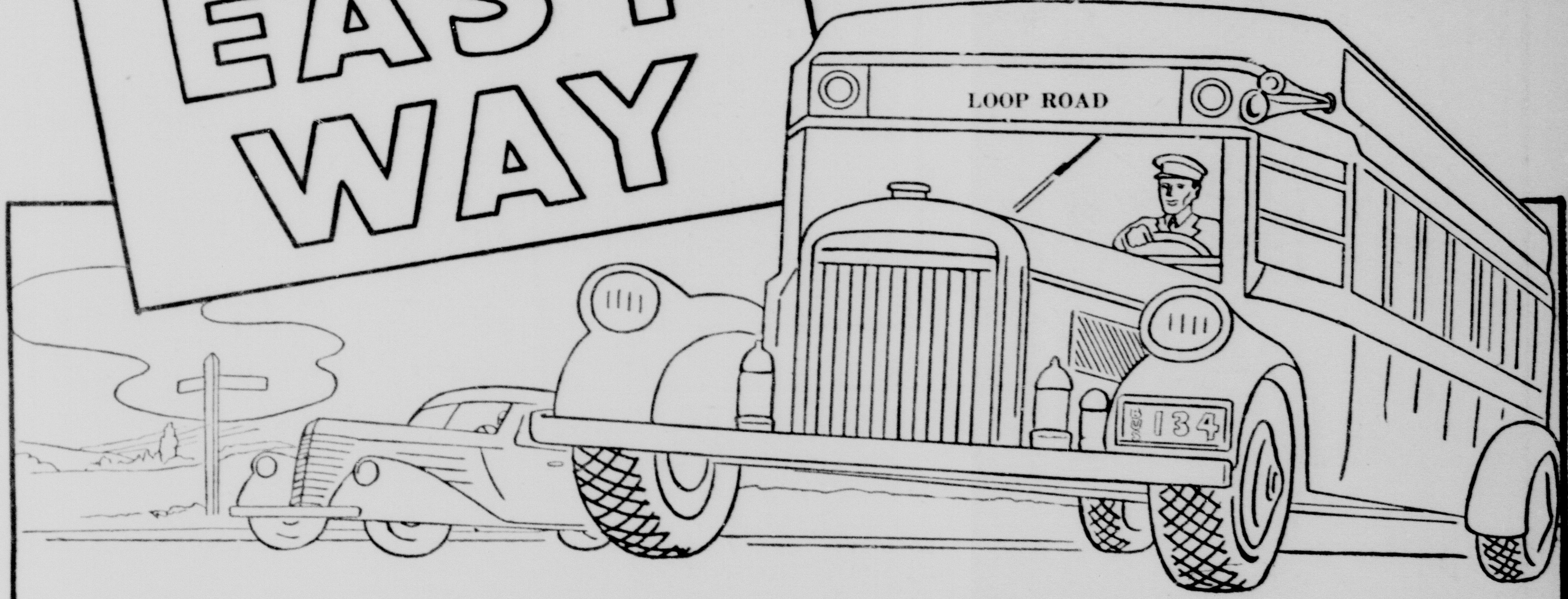

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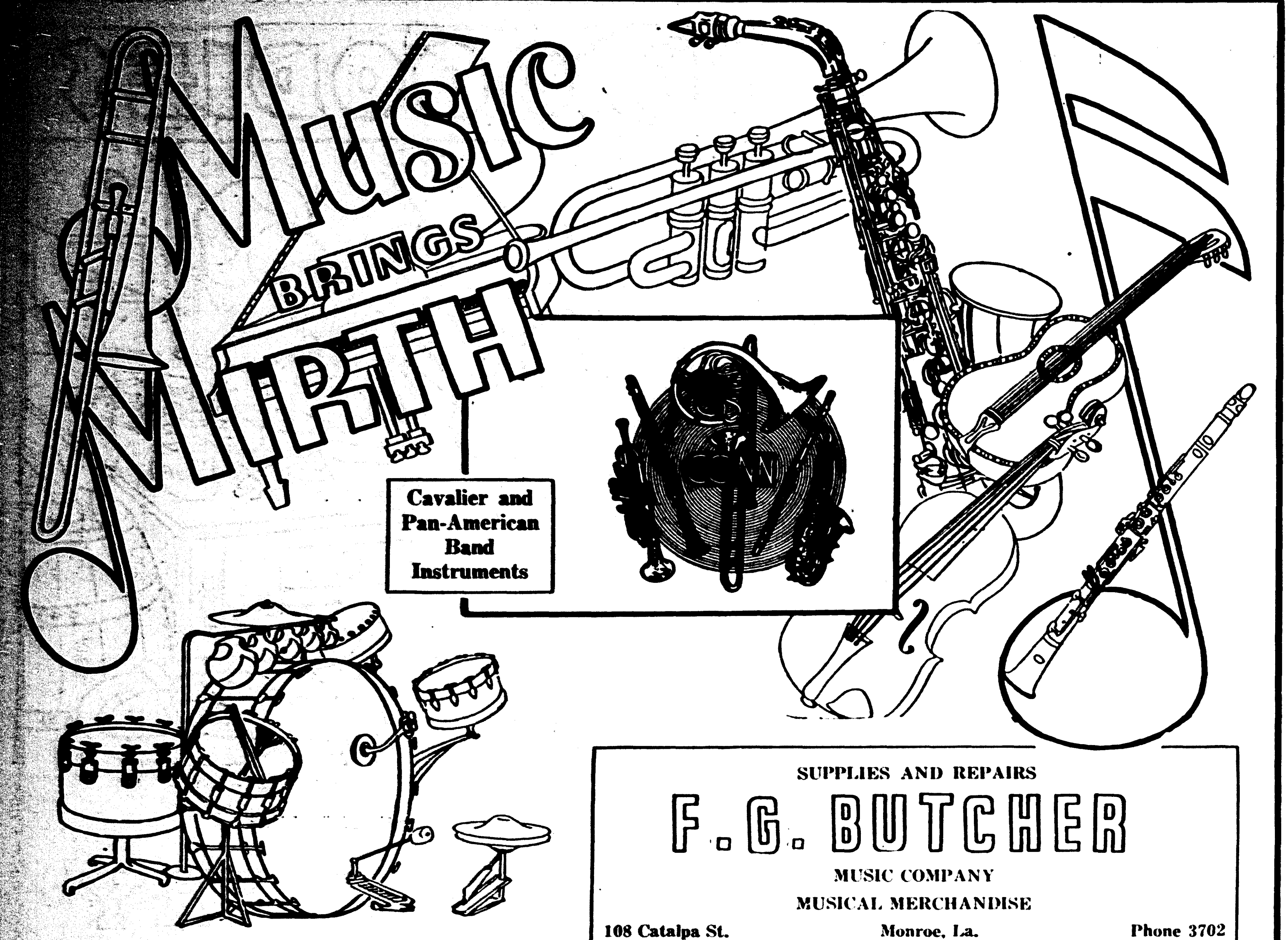

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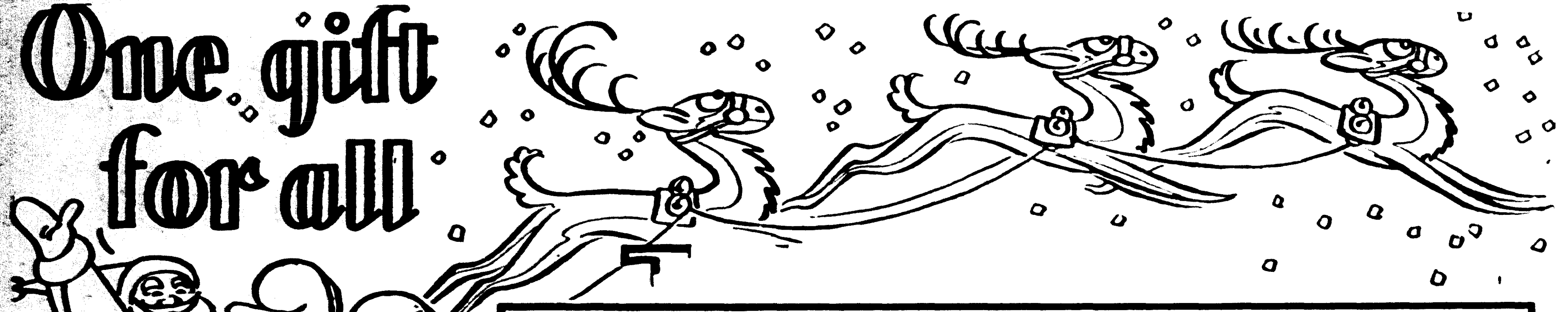

We Asked 400 Better Heat-Better Health Owners—

● *Mr. Otto E. Passman of 2314 South Grand, Monroe, Louisiana, whose home is pictured here, was interviewed about his Better Heat—Better Health installation. Below is the endorsement he offers:*

FREE SURVEY GET THE FACTS ON Better Heating FOR YOUR HOME Call the GAS COMPANY Today

Here's What They Say:

1. How long have you had Automatic Gas Heating? One year.
2. How has it benefited your family? Controlled temperature conducive to better health. Less cold.
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5. What would you say about it to your neighbors who do not have Automatic Gas Heating? This type of heating to be recommended.

Signed: OTTO E. PASSMAN
2314 South Grand

Complete installation and service by

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A very handsome Leather Gladstone. Genuine leather with extra heavy straps. A real saving to you.

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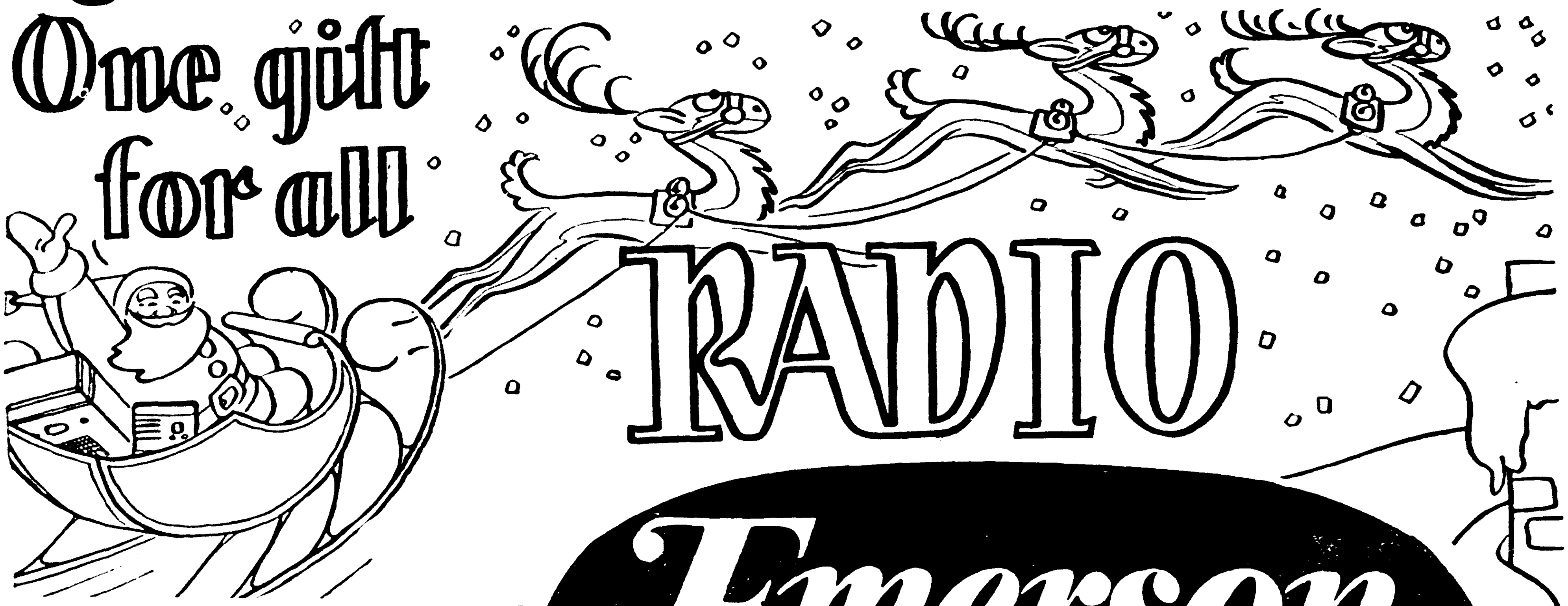

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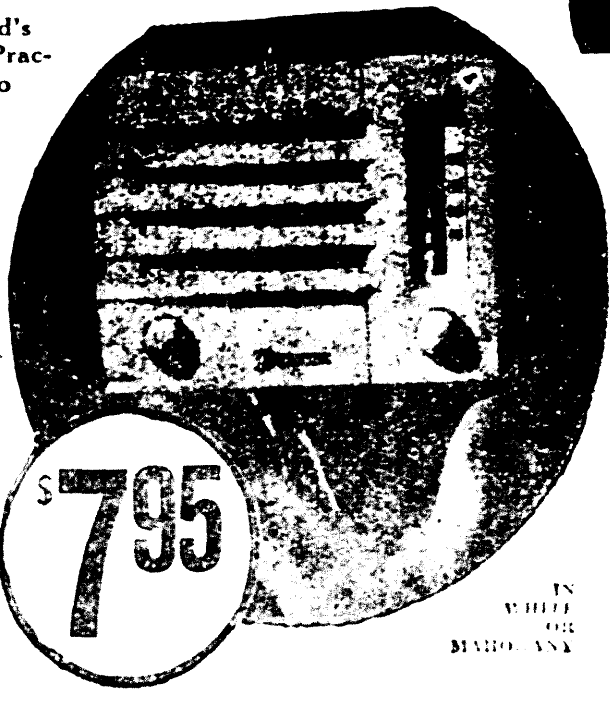

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- "Miracle Tone Chamber"
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- Illuminated High Ratio Slide Rule Dial

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IN WHITE OR MAHOGANY

- Bakelite Cabinet
- Size [illegible]" high, 6¾" wide, 3¾" deep

With "Miracle Tone Chamber" and [illegible] Touch Tuning. A touch of your finger and the designated station comes in.

- 5 Tube superheterodyne
- 7 Tube performance with two Double-purpose Tubes
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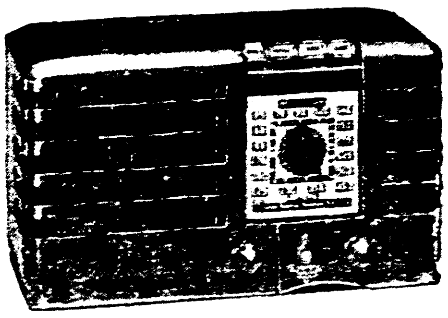

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CREDIT JEWELERS

Out Of Town Accounts Invited

Mail Orders Filled Promptly

200 DESIARD MONROE, LA.

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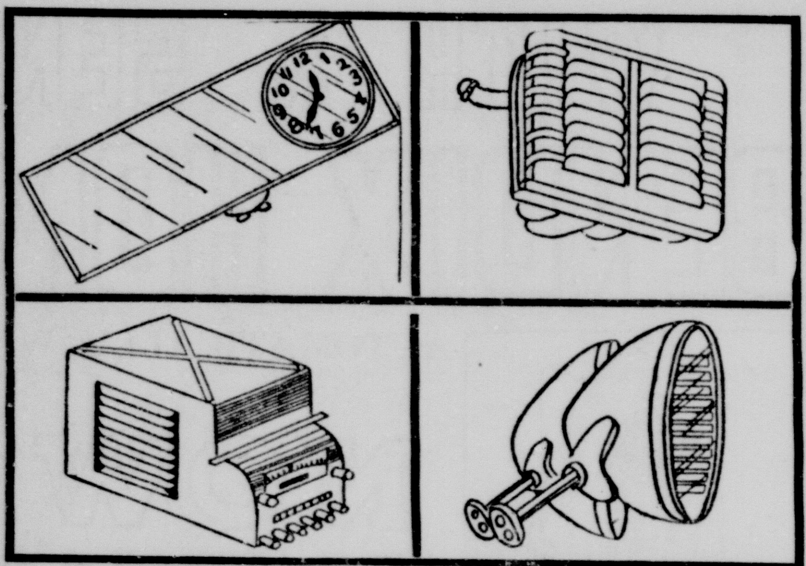

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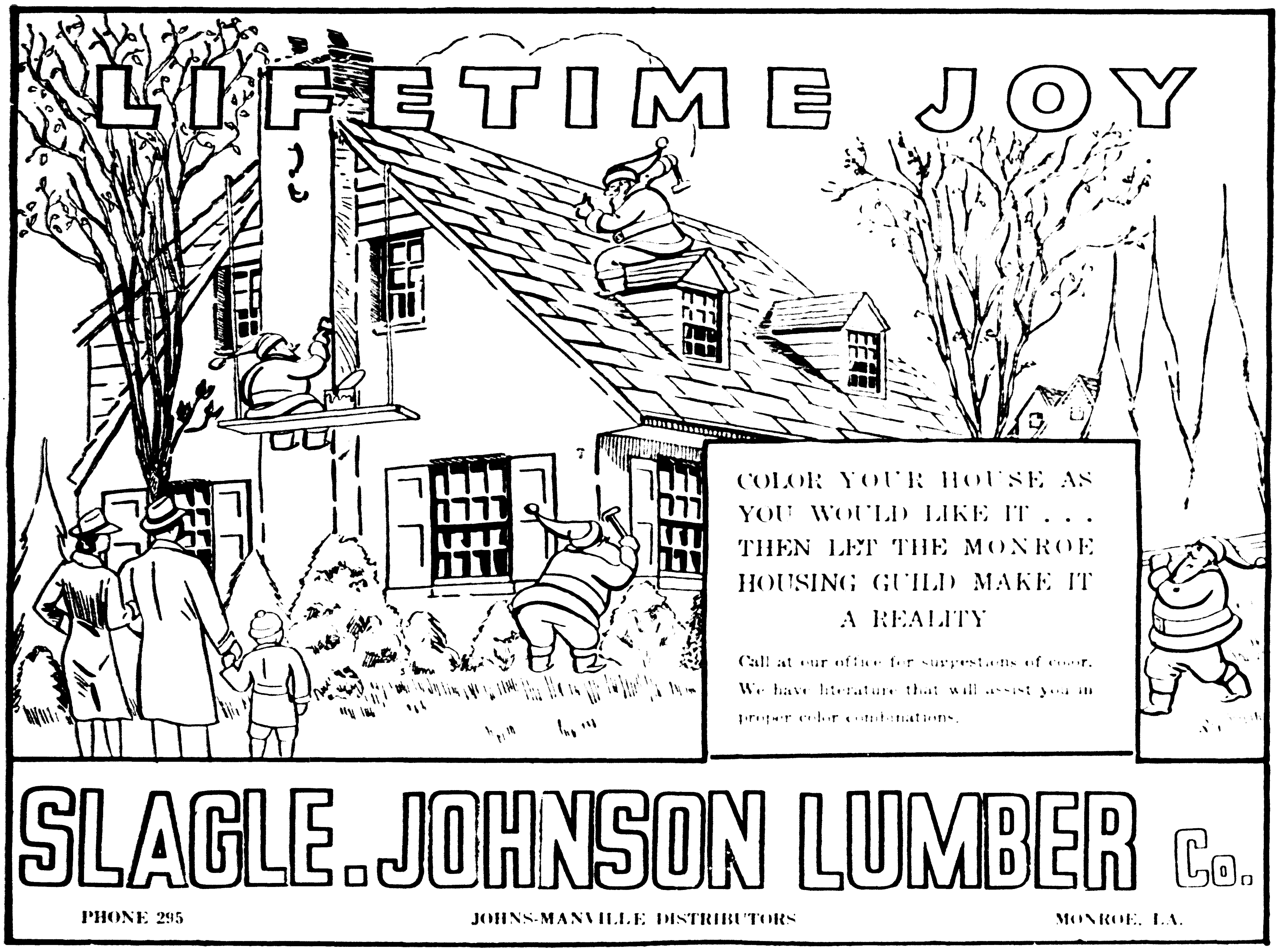
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COLOR YOUR HOUSE AS YOU WOULD LIKE IT . . . THEN LET THE MONROE HOUSING GUILD MAKE IT A REALITY
Call at our office for suggestions of color. We have literature that will assist you in proper color combinations.
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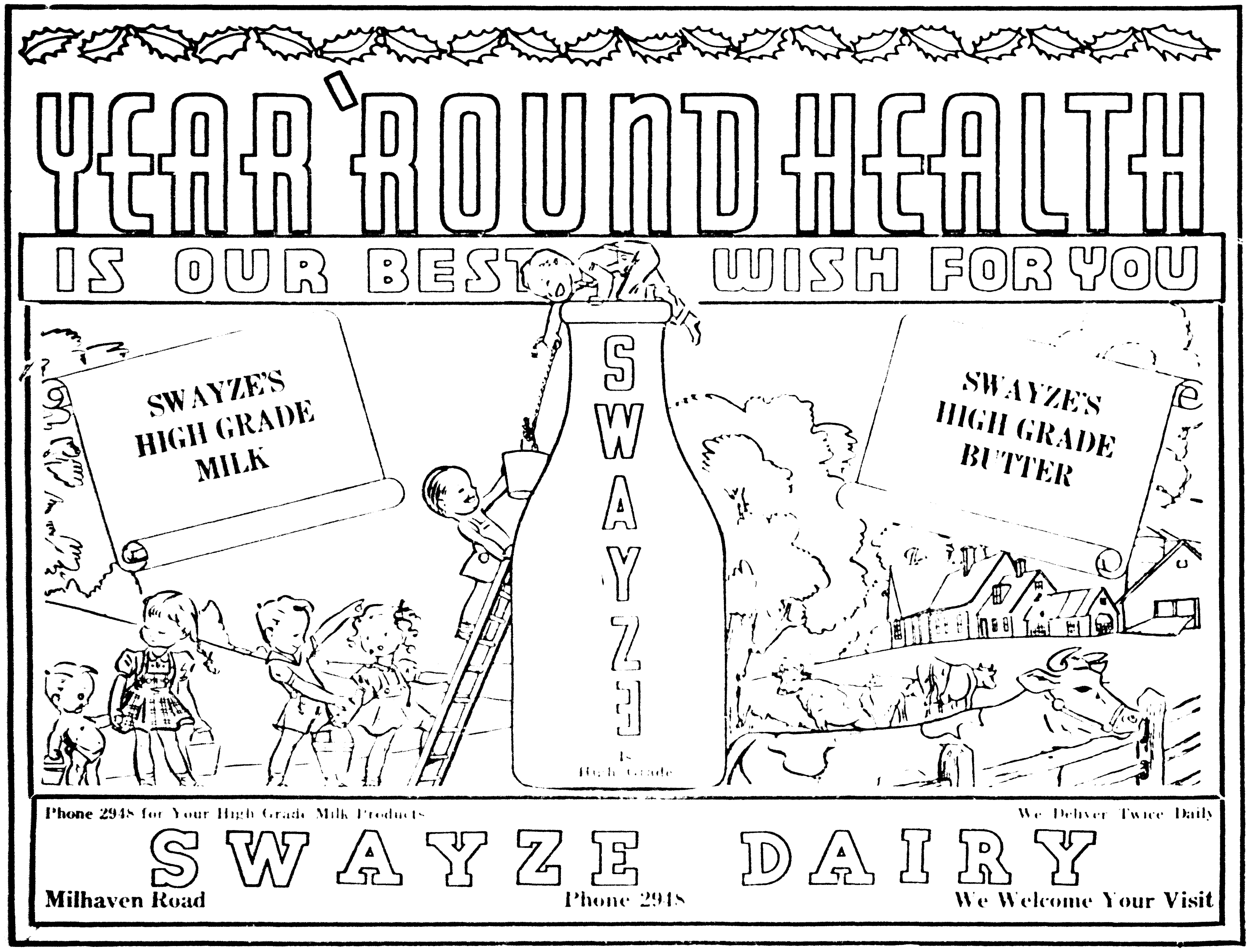
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CORN TOP LOAF

It's different

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Try a Loaf Tomorrow

At All Grocery Stores in Northeast Louisiana

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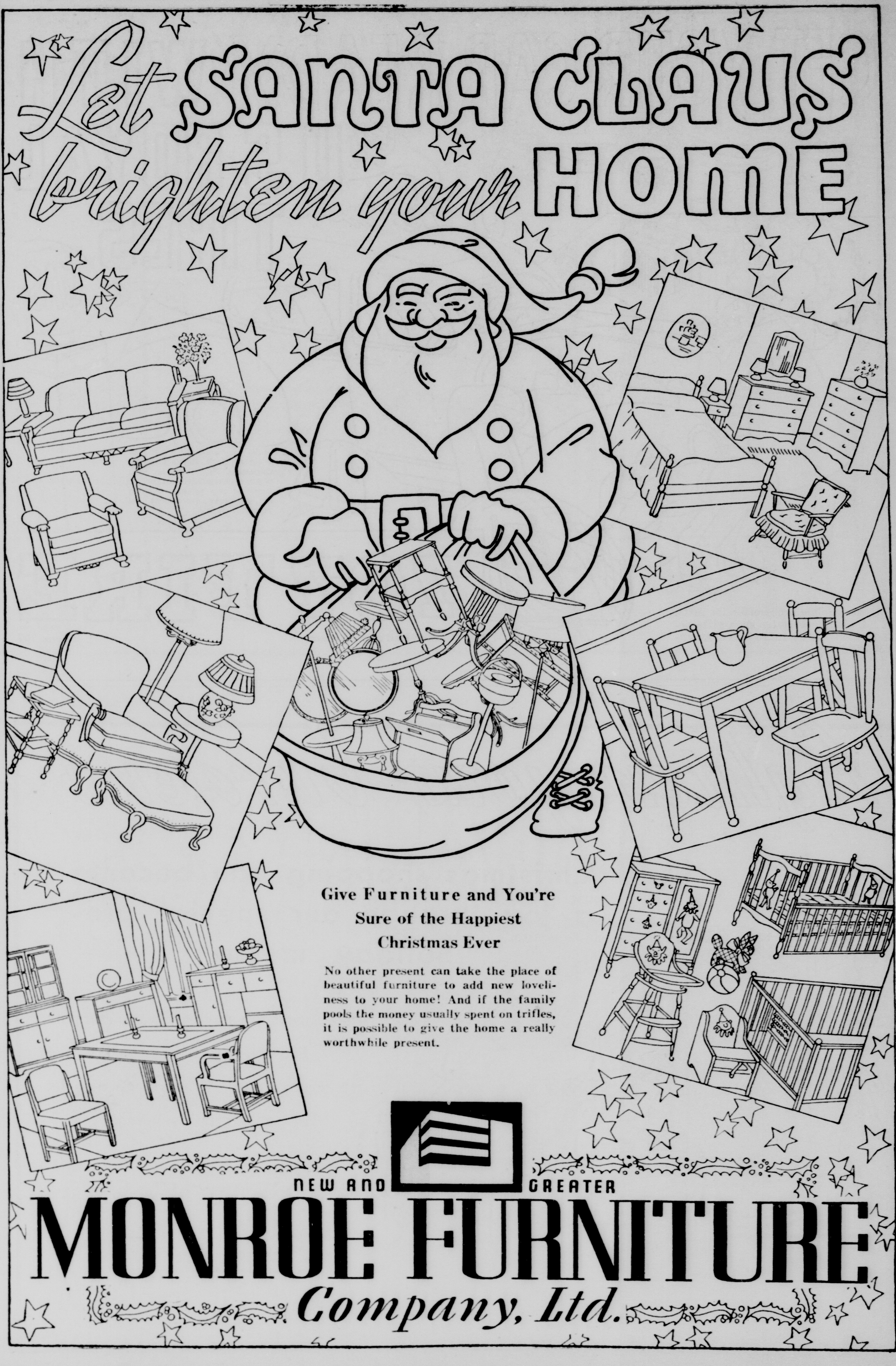
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Select a lovely Spinet piano for Christmas from our large stock of Christmas Specials, both New and Used. Knabe, Musettes, etc. Have it set aside for Christmas. Easy terms.

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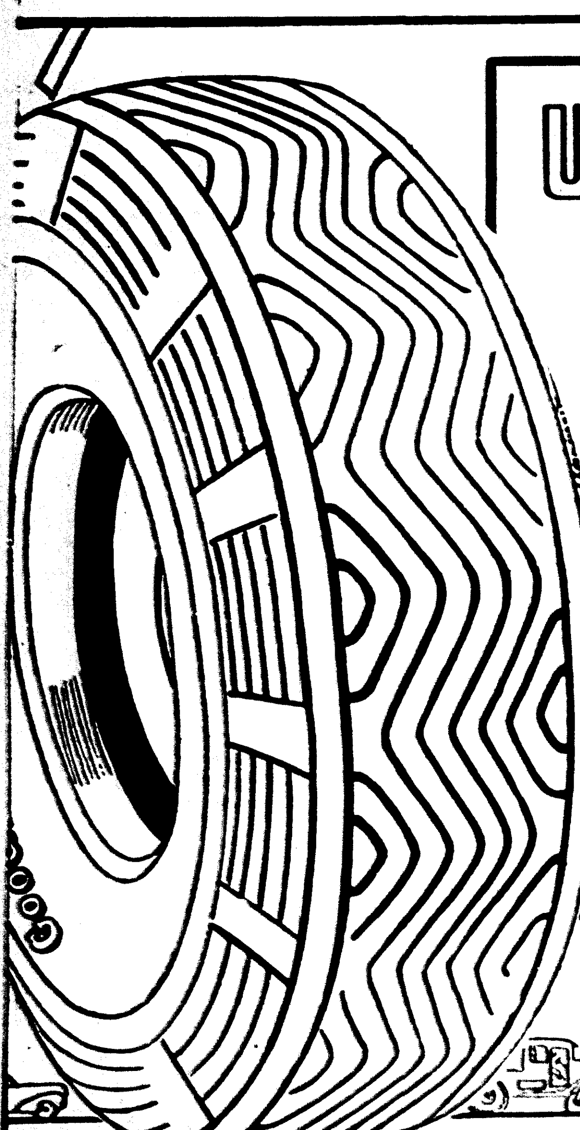

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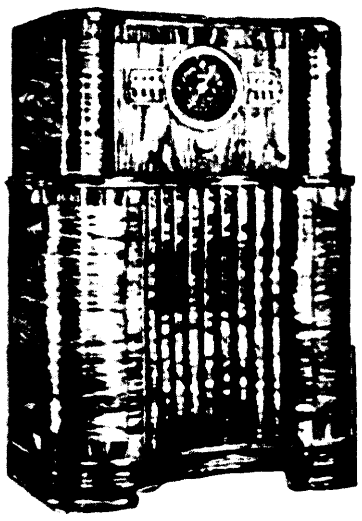

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1940
Model
$89^95
and We Can Allow You $20.00 for Your Old Radio

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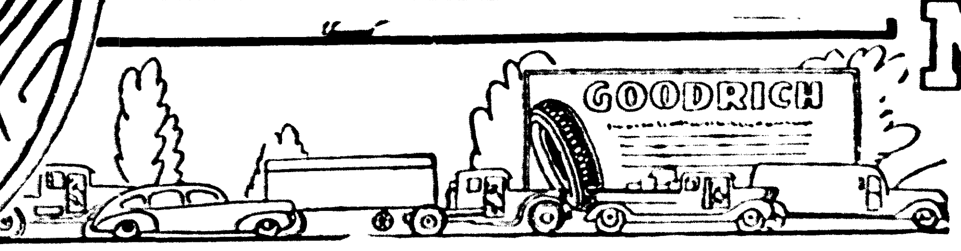

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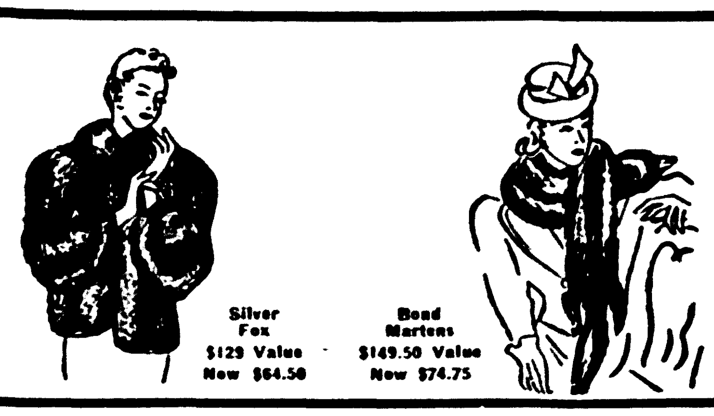

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SALE!
FURS
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Black Caracul
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YOUR SHIP COMES IN EVERY CHRISTMAS

when you have one of our
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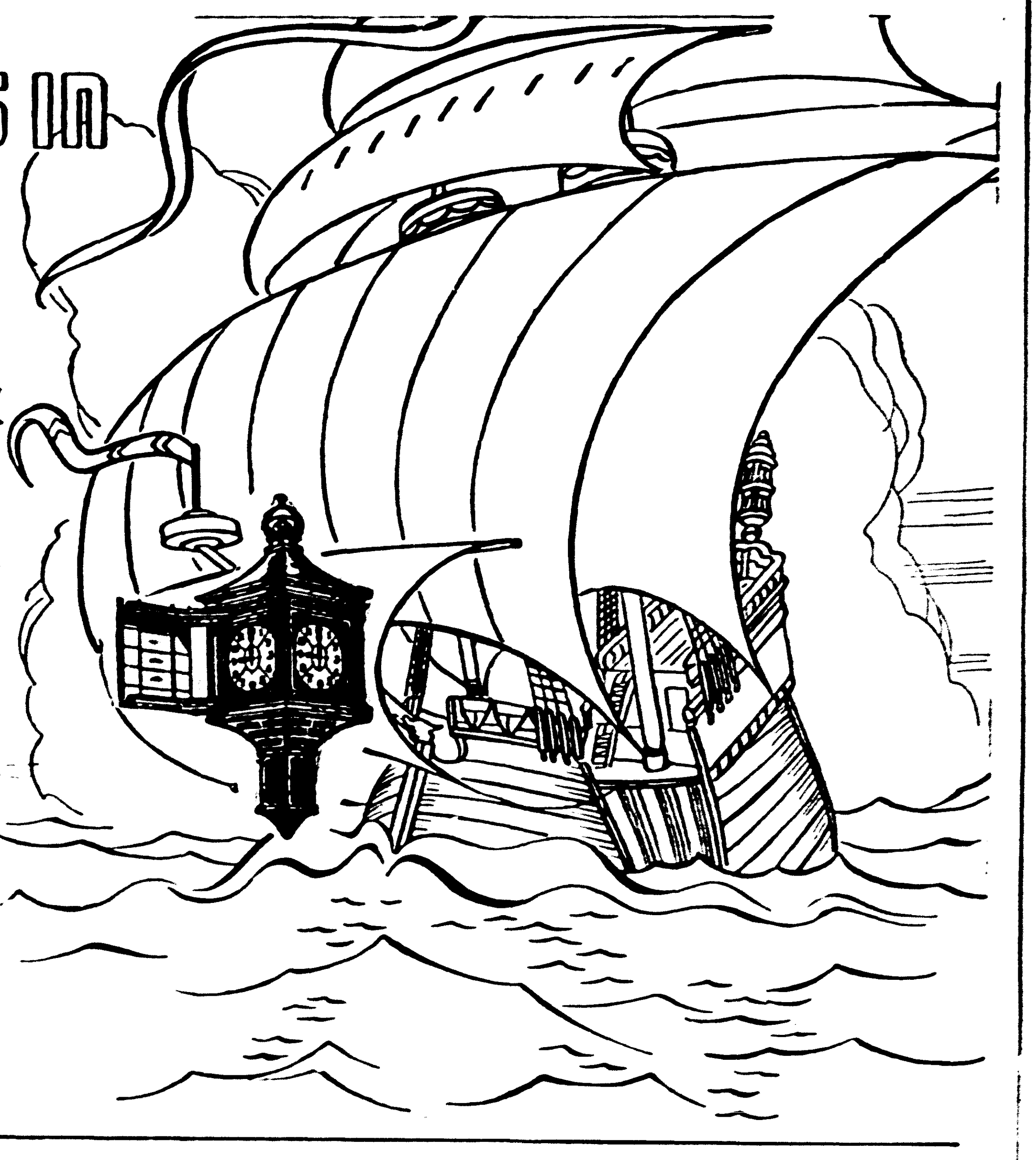
3500 Ships—bearing $92,000.00 have just come in.

New cruises now forming.

Come Join



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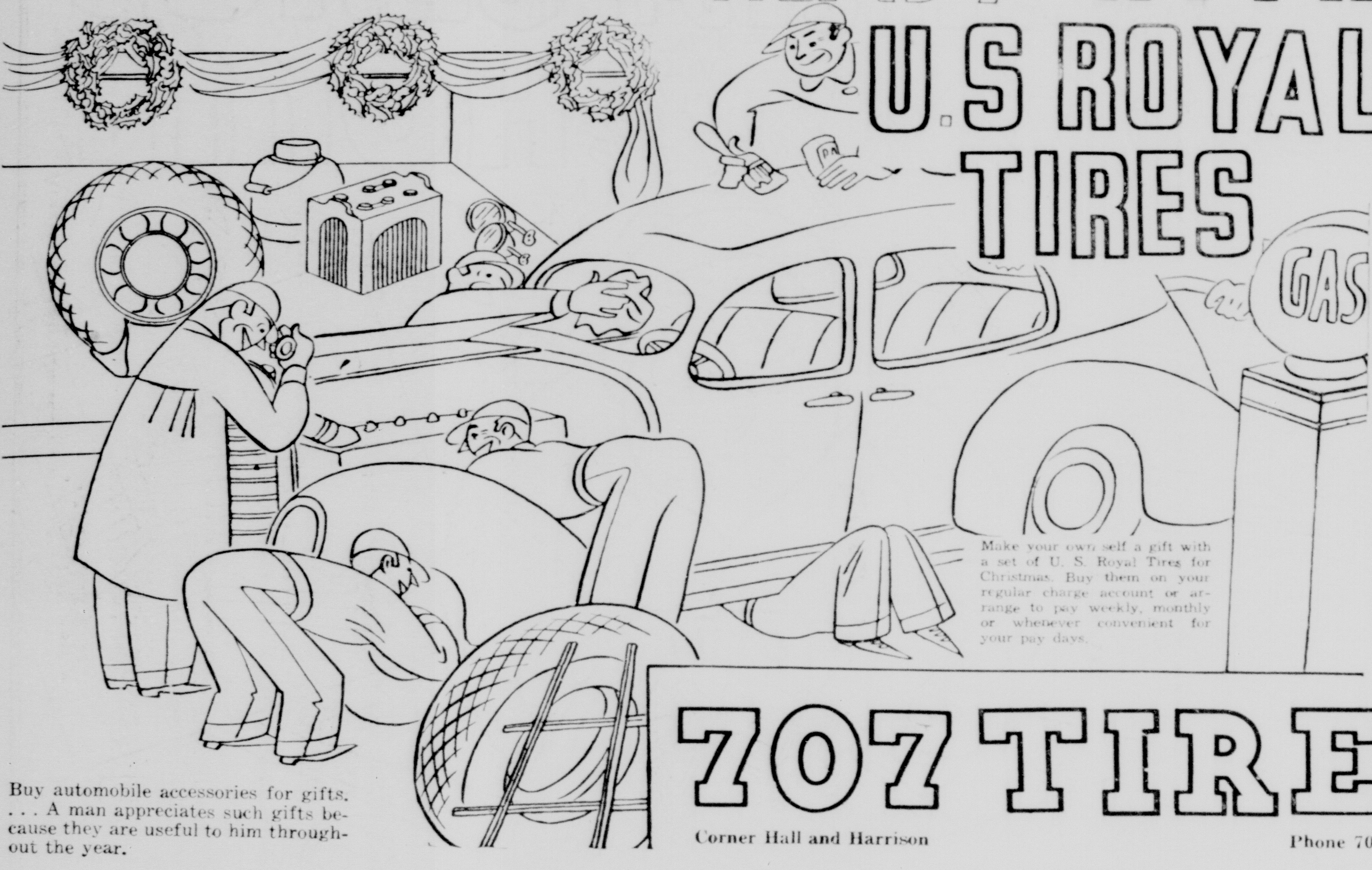

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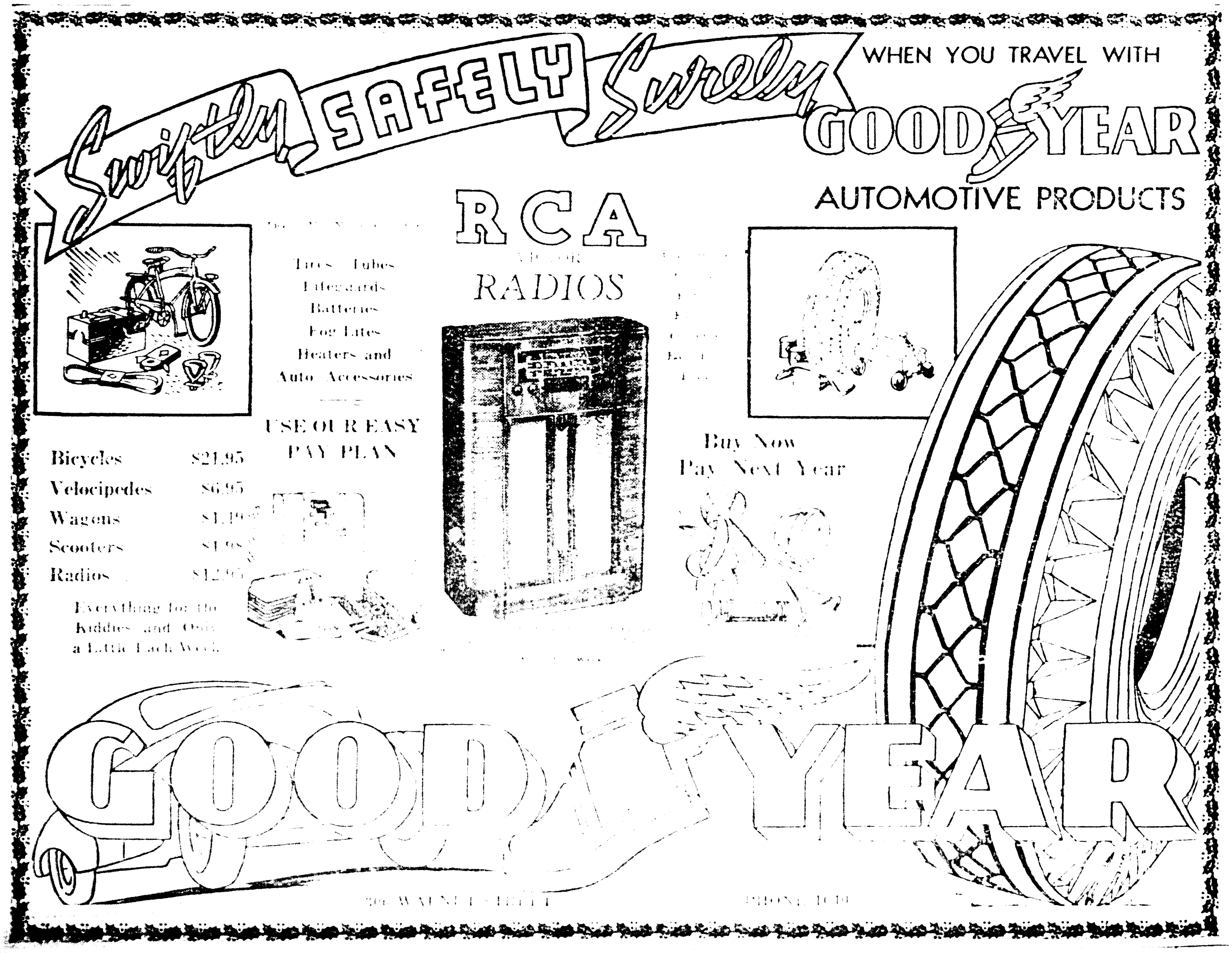
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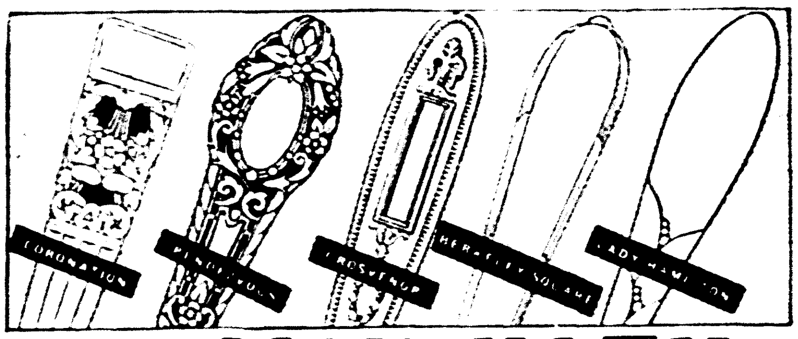

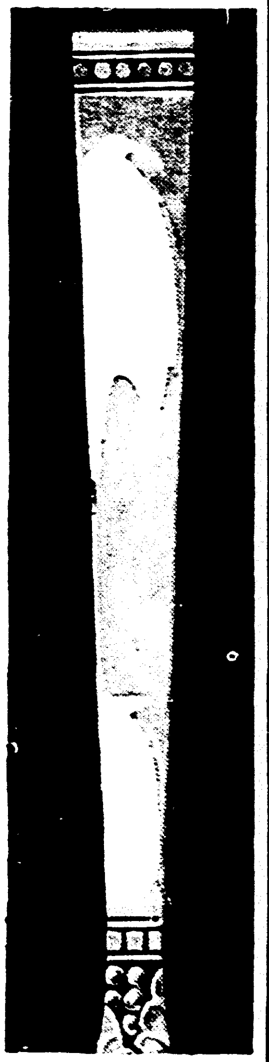

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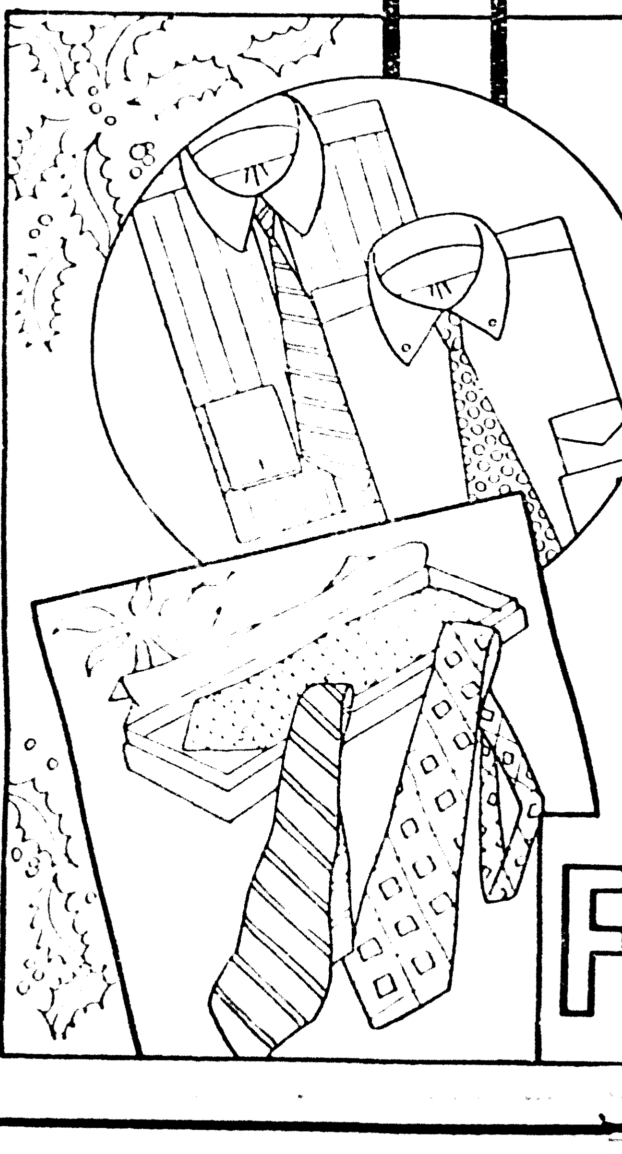

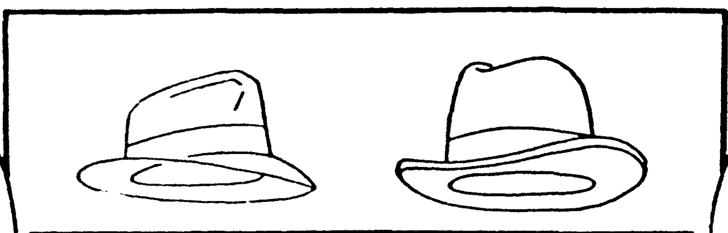

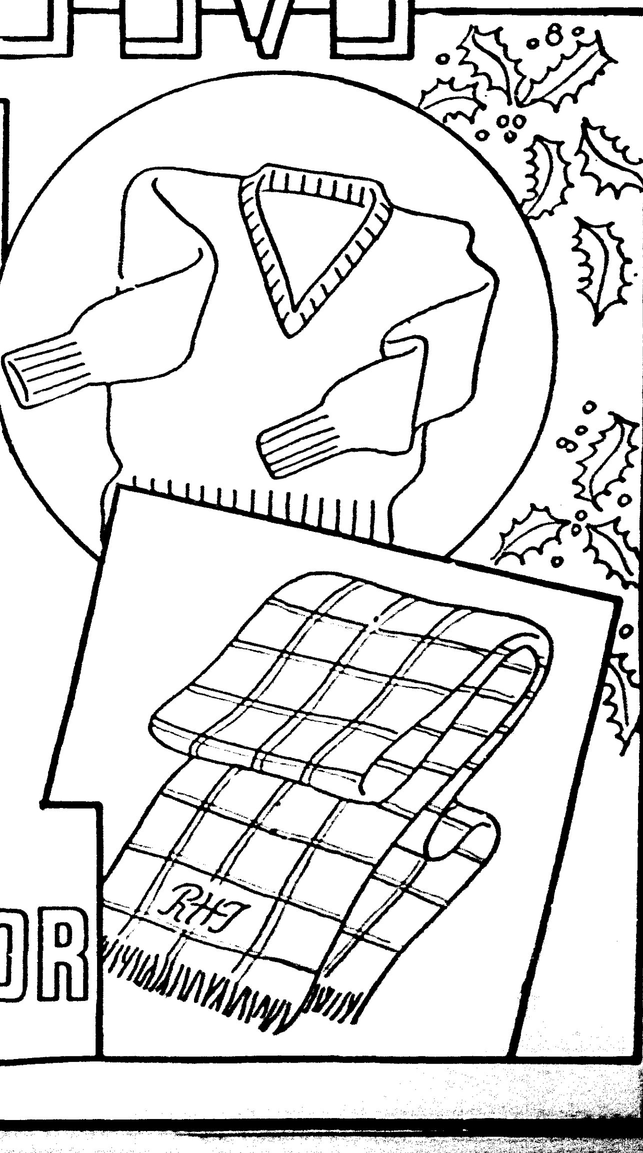

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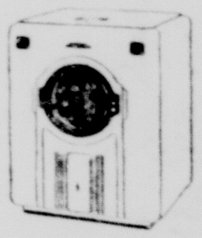

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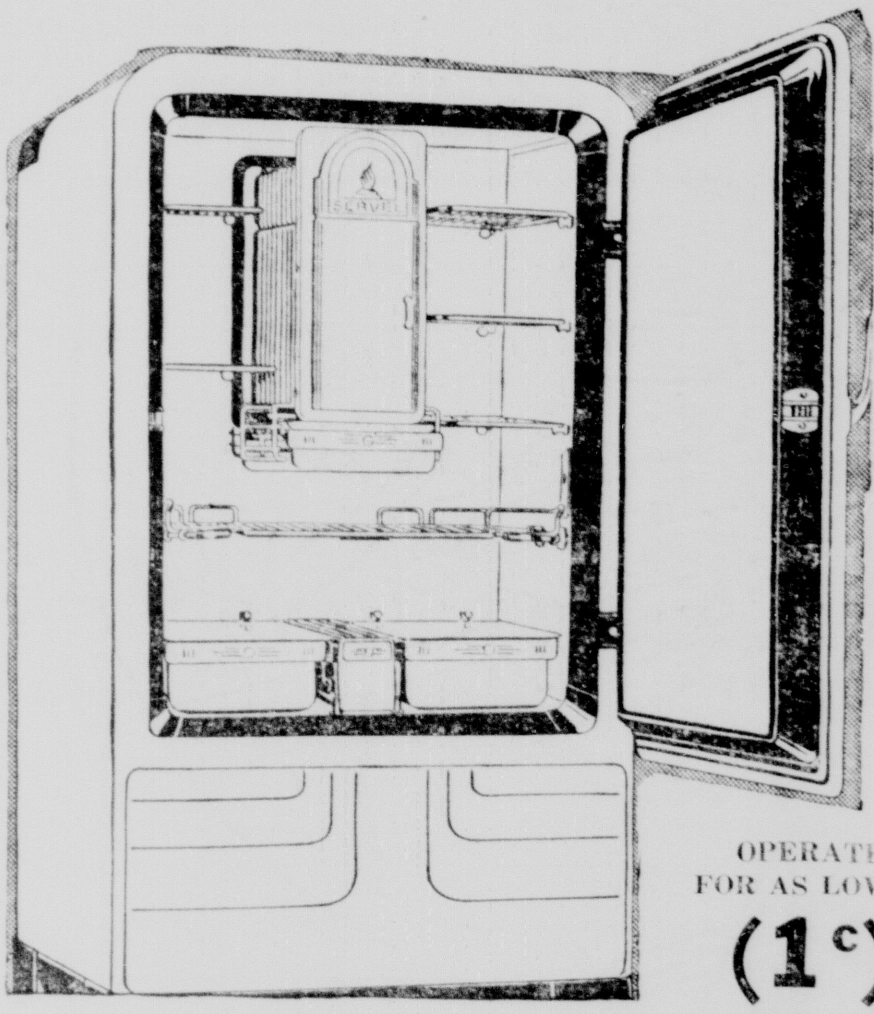

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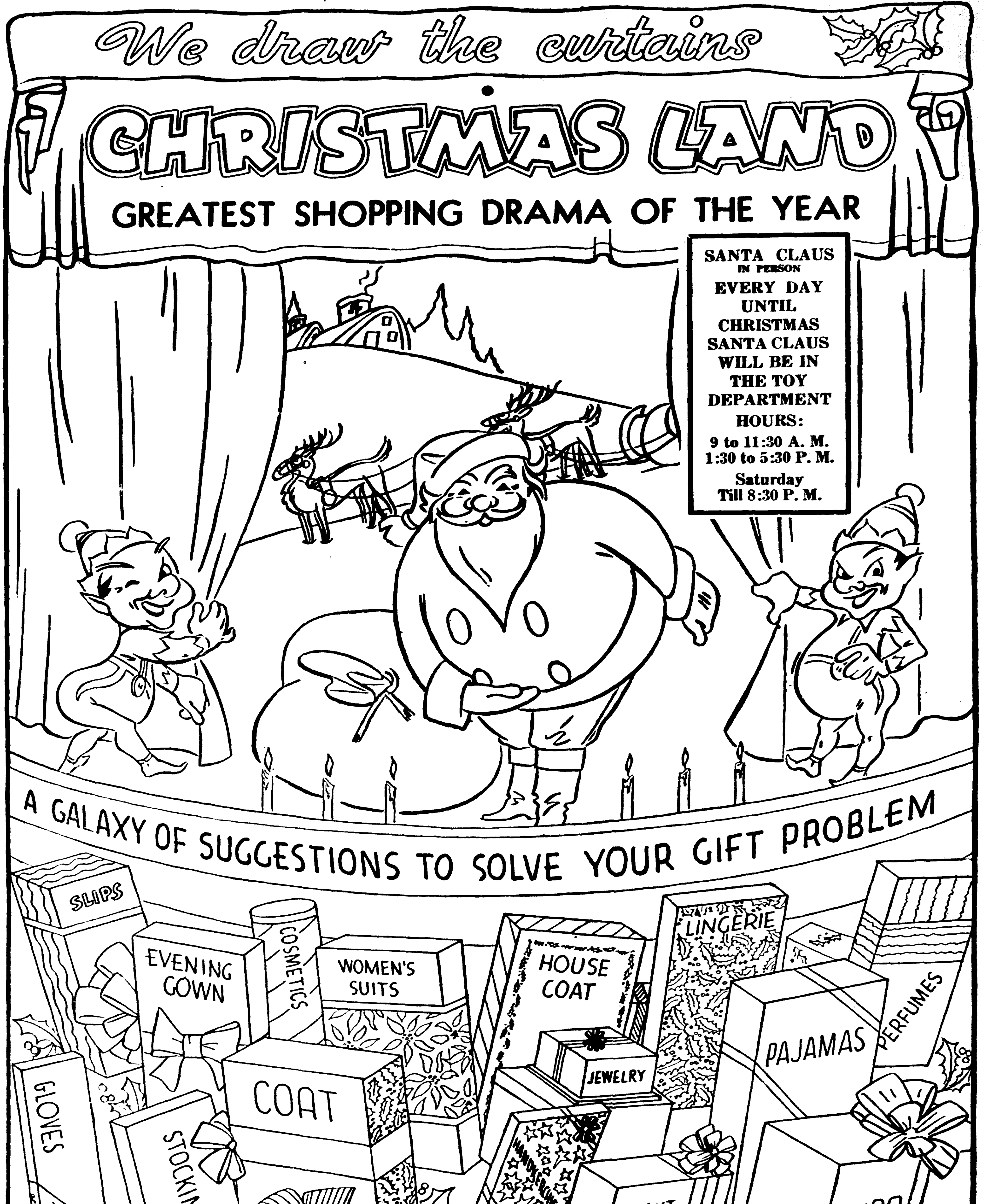
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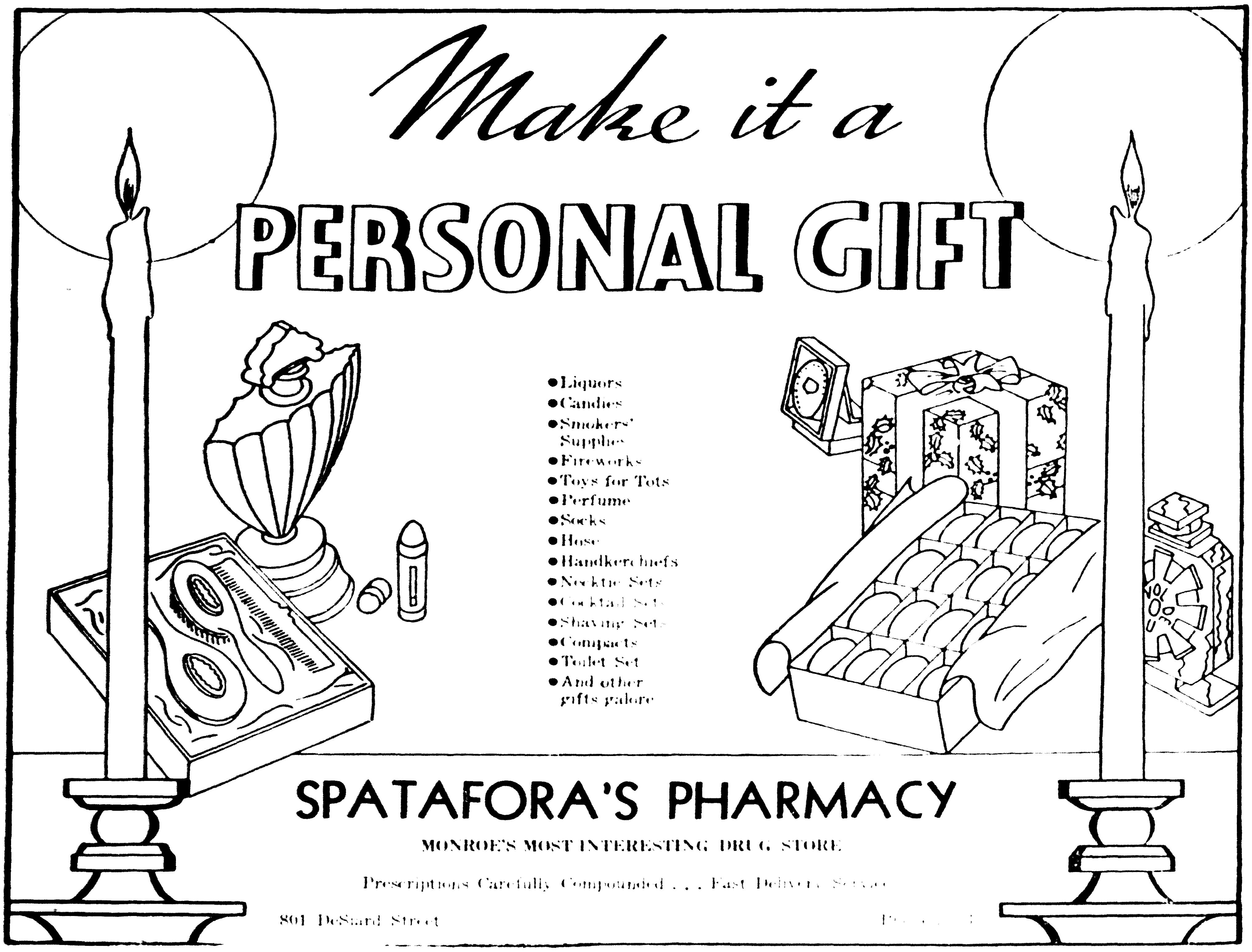
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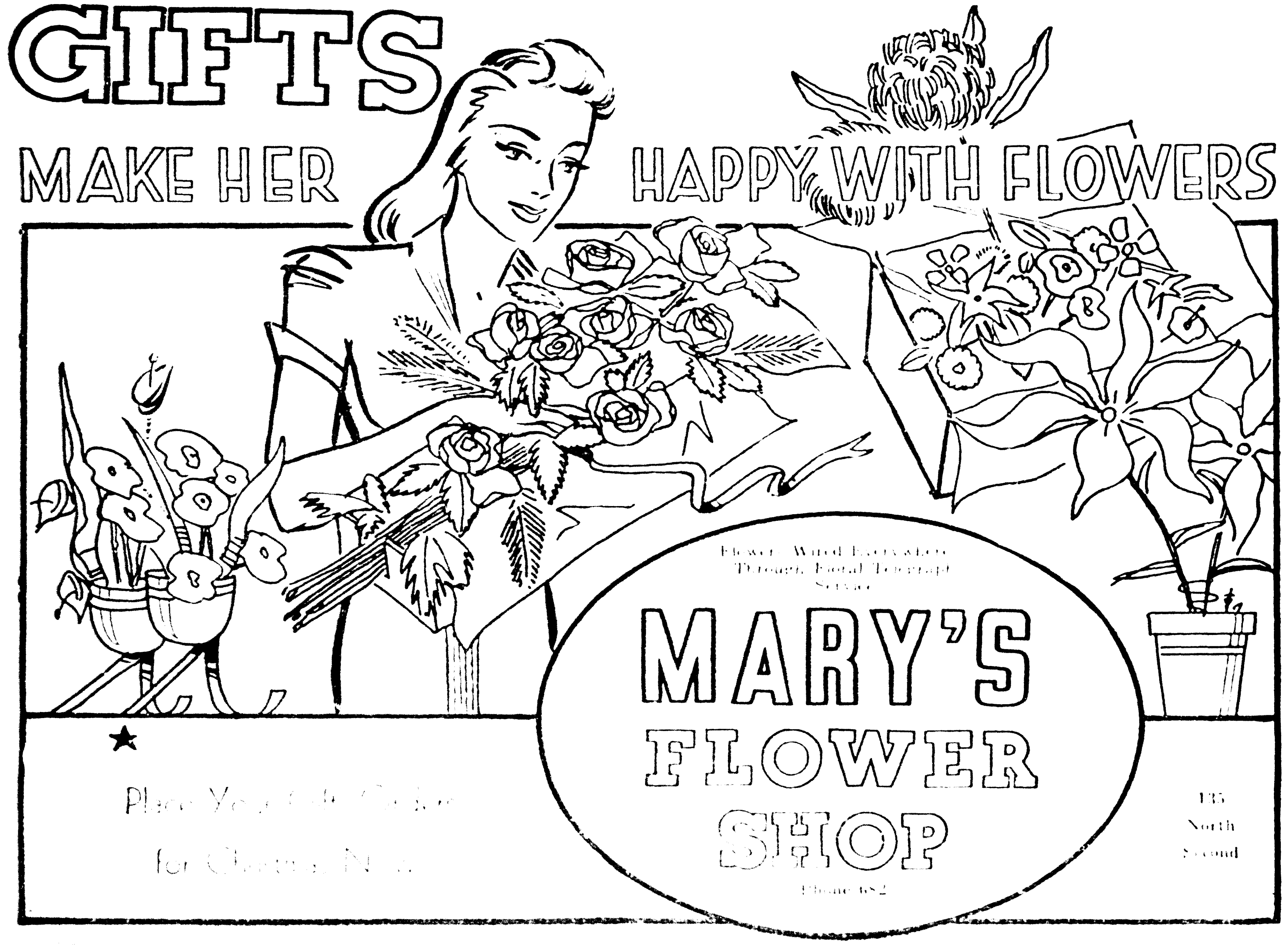
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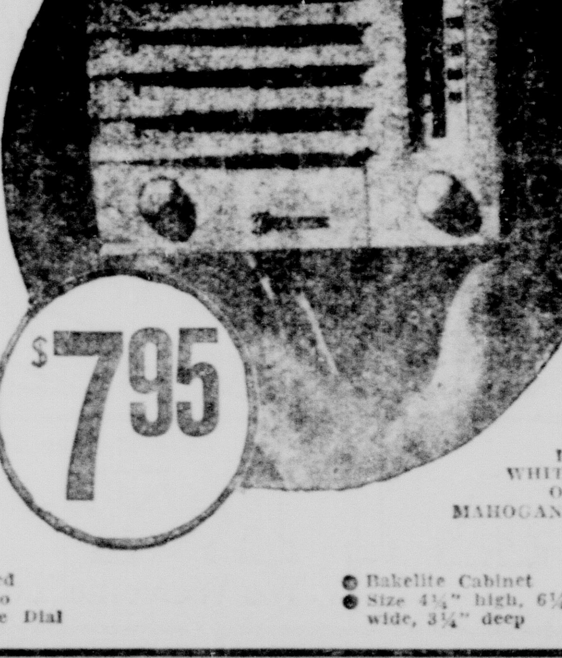

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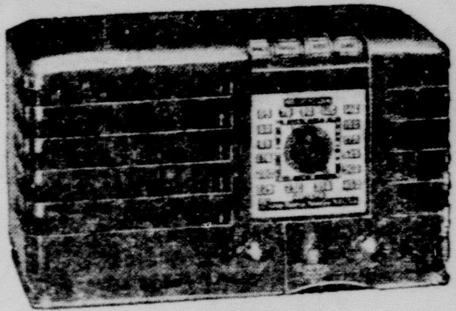

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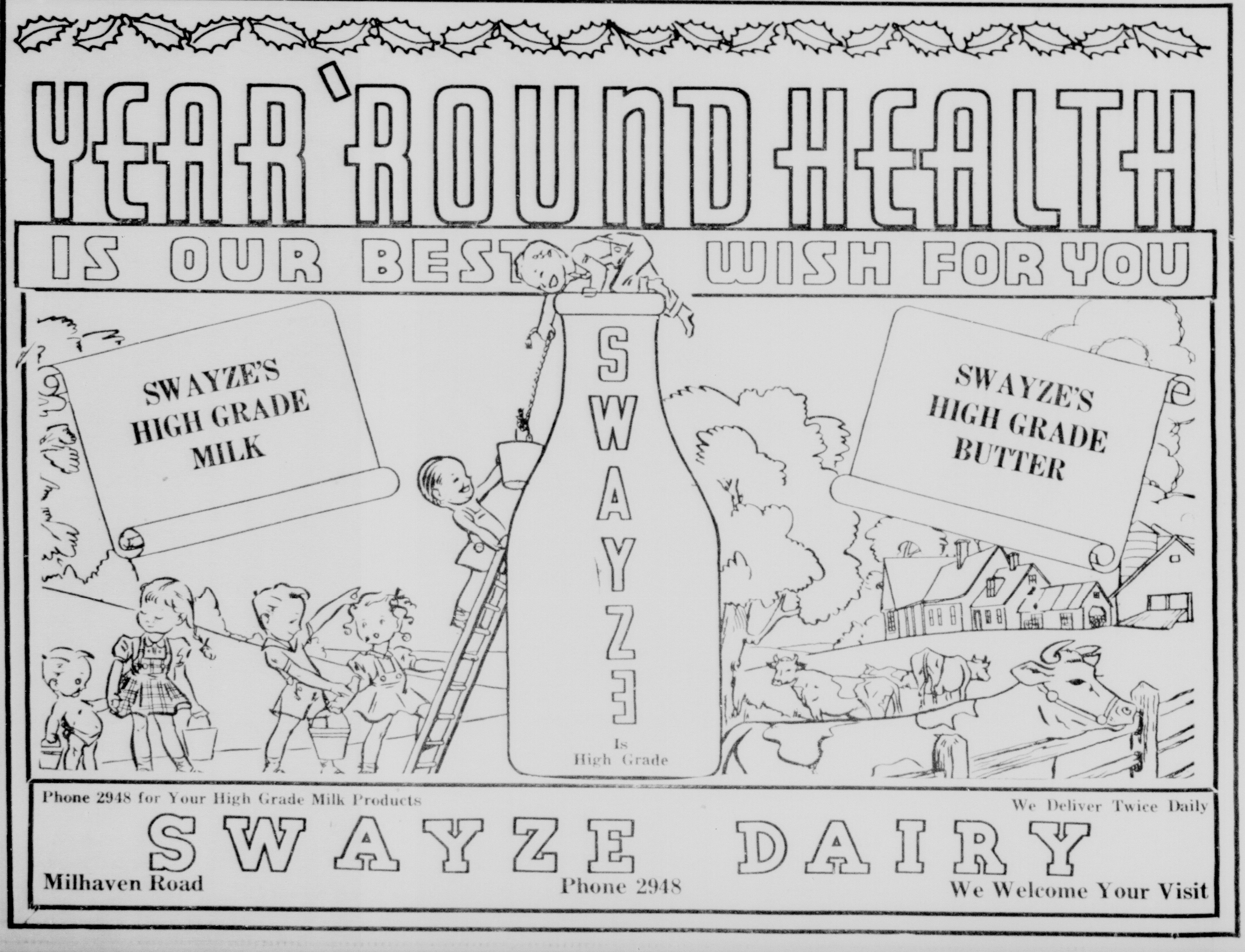
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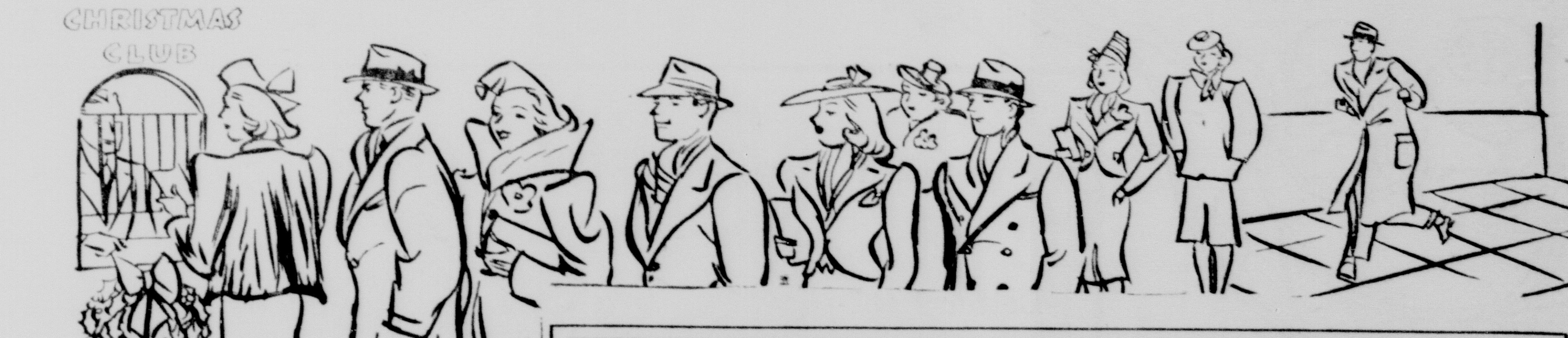

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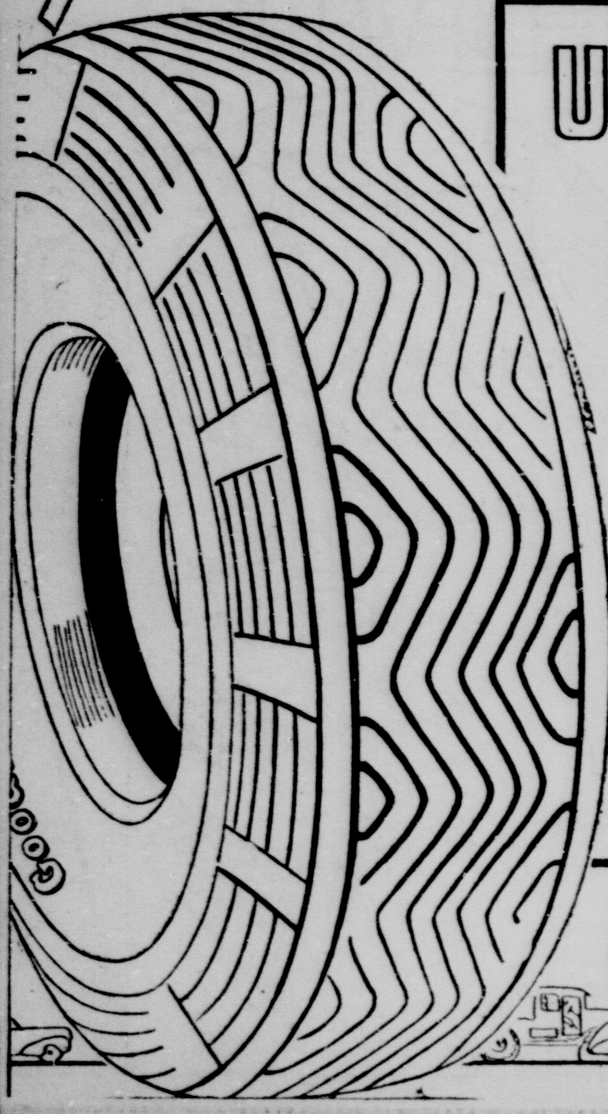

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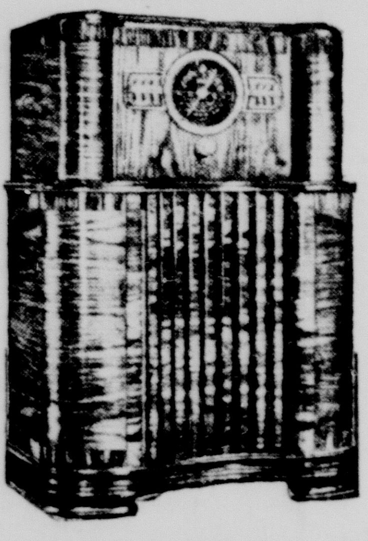

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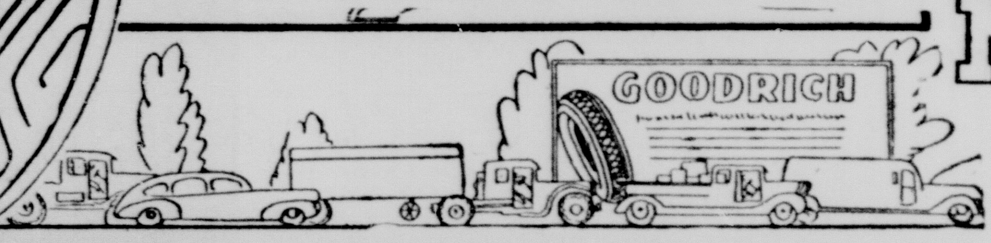

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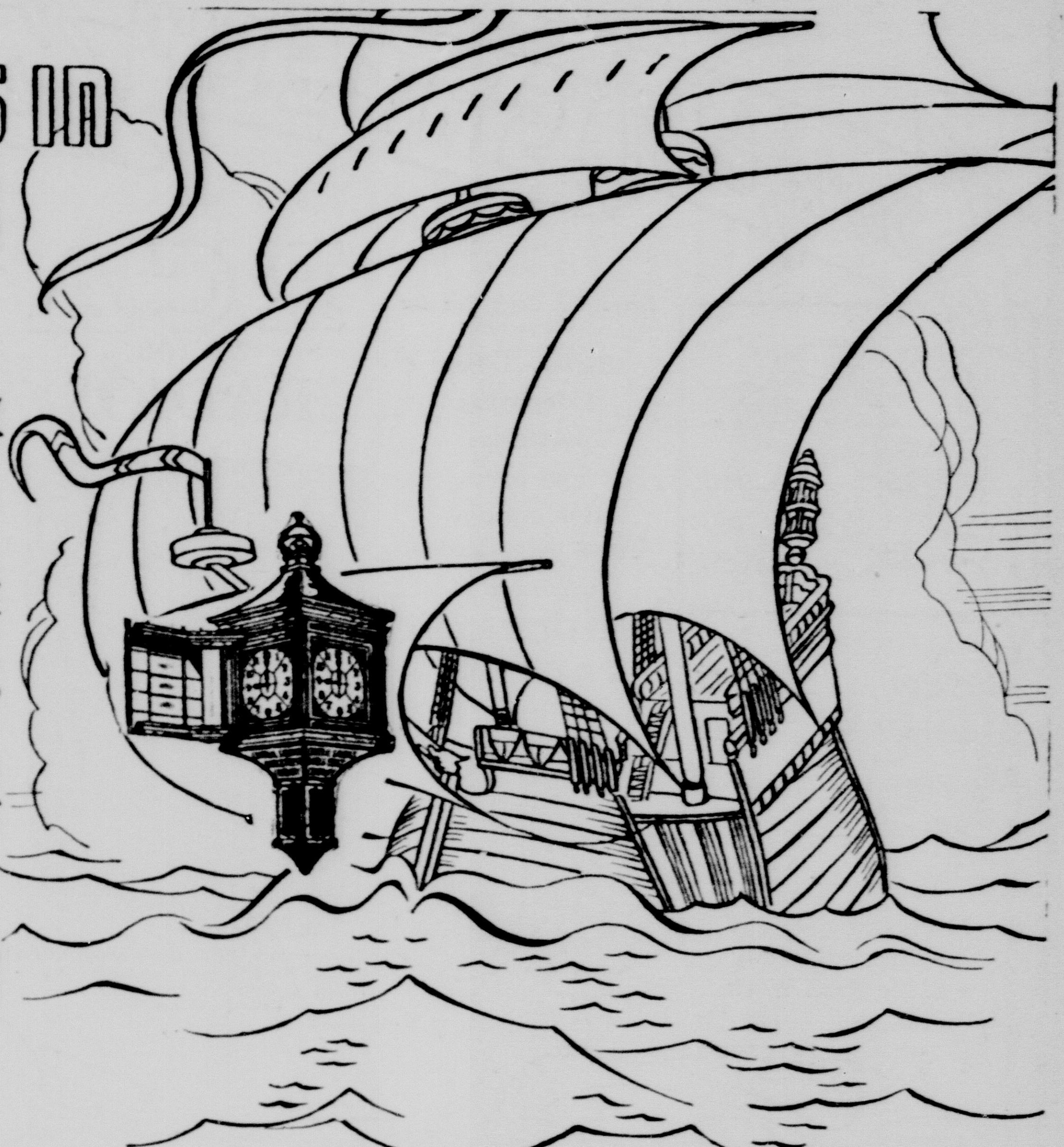

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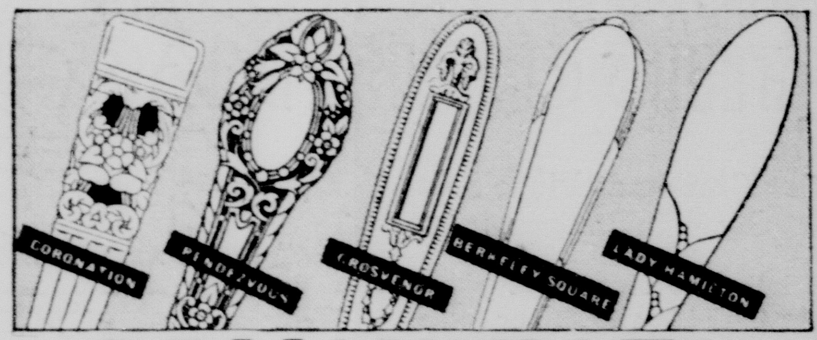

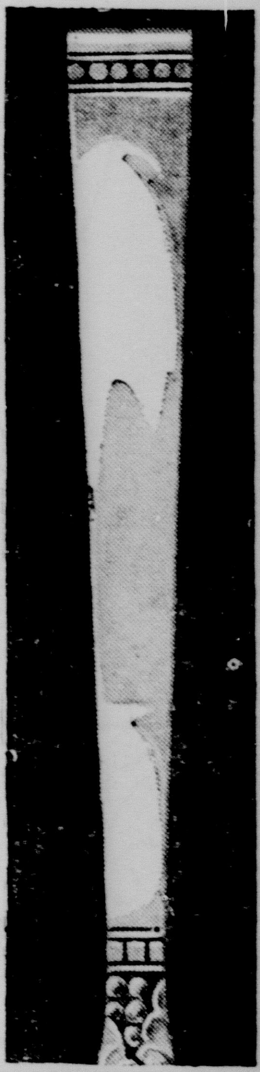

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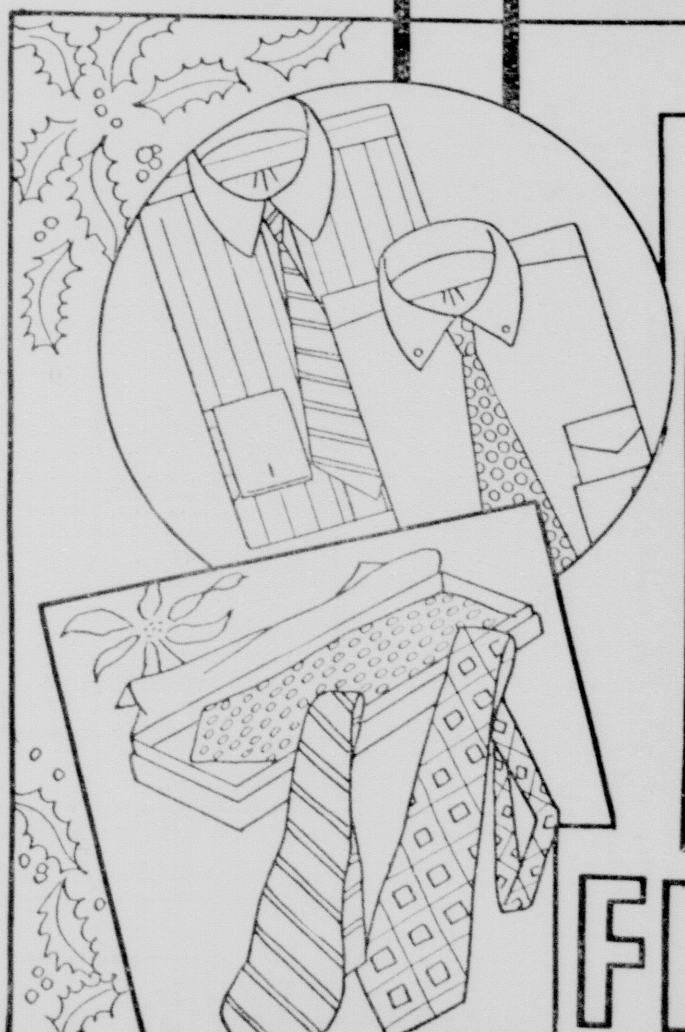

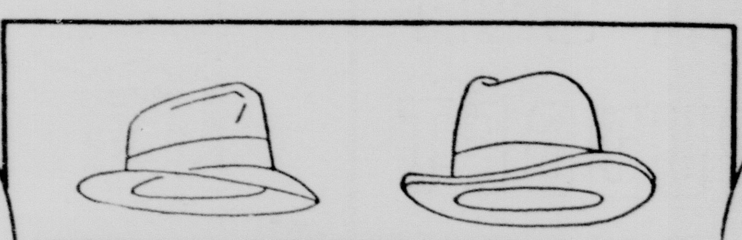

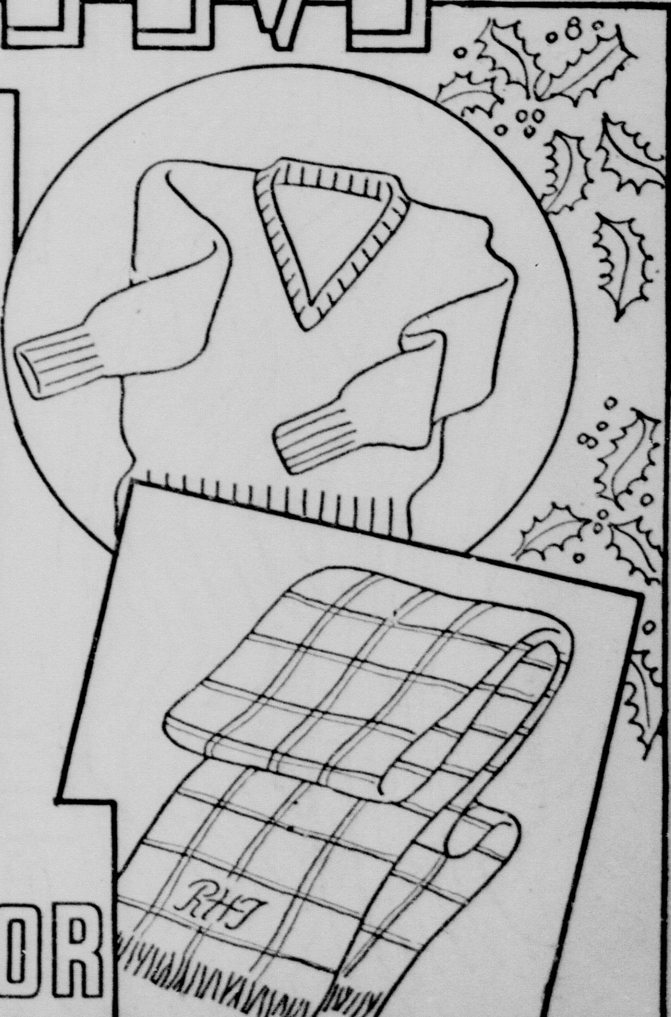

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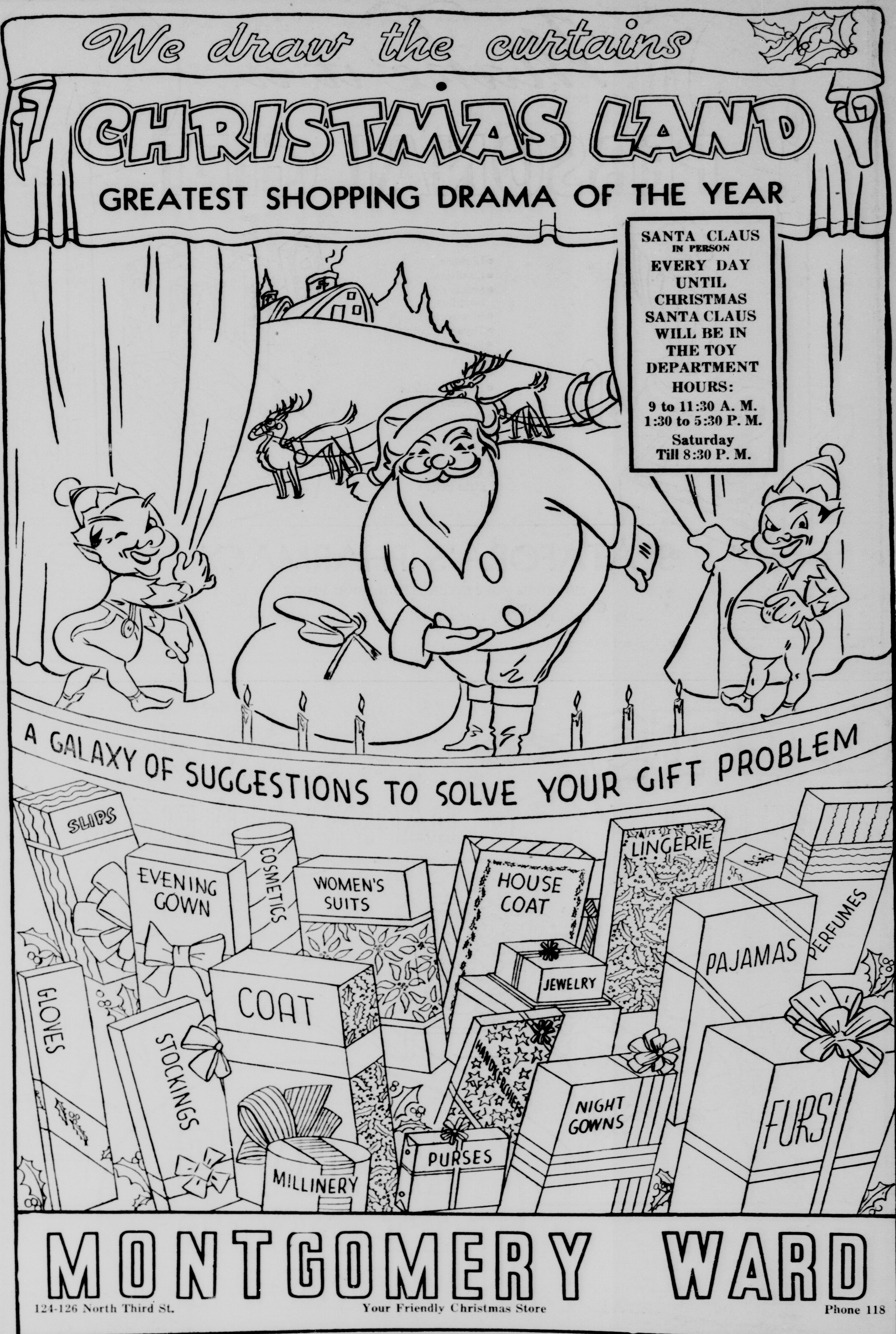
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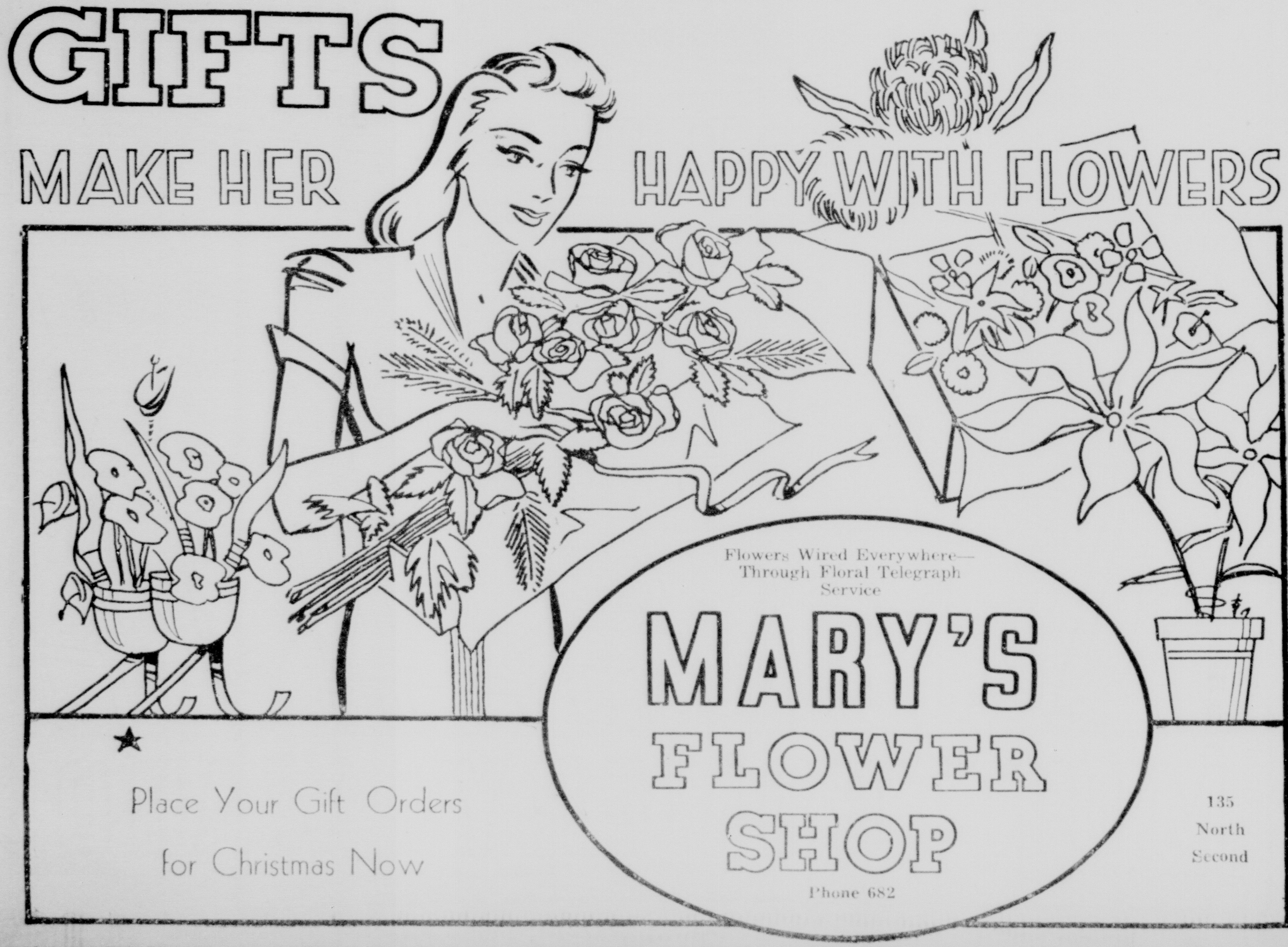
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